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GENERAL NEWS.

Yale has 200 candidates for athletic honors.

Norwegian bark, Oxford, founders in mid ocean.

No steamer left Boston for Europe last week.

Rubber factories at Malden to run on half time.

The estate of Henry B. Plant appraised at $17,000,000.

Sixteen inches of snow fell at Plymouth, N. H., on Sunday.

Wm. H. Morton of Lynn celebrates his ninetieth birthday.

Illinois anti-trust legislation declared void by the courts.

Striking cigar makers in Boston ignored and their places filled.

Market price of butter and eggs at Burlington has fallen.

Police at Quincy, Ill., kill two safe robbers and wound a third.

A mass meeting in New York expresses its sympathy for the Boers.

British steamer Expedient run down and sunk. Thirty lives lost.

Alfred Gwyn Vanderbilt starts again on his trip around the world.

Haverhill city father gets after the police and insist on a better service.

Mechanical departments at Newport, R. I., shut down for want of coal.

Indiana proposes to utilize its barbed wire fences for telephone lines.

Prof. Alfred J. Henry to succeed the late Prof. Hazen as "Old Prob"

A large gang of highwaymen get in their work at Lynn, Saturday night

A new base ball association formed in Baltimore with a capital of $20,000.

Immense tidal wave in Portland on Monday flooding cellars and stores.

Insurance Agent Nutting fined $400 for negotiating unlawful insurance.

Large lots of cattle shipped from Ohio to South Africa for the British army.

16,000,000 to be expended in repairs of naval ships during the next fiscal year.

The National Match Company to fight the trust with a factory at Evanston, Ill.,

A large party of tourists leave Boston to spend a month in the Mediterranean.

Mrs. Amos Weed of Merrimac, Mass., celebrated her 102d birthday last Saturday.

Henry F. Healy gets six months imprisonment for illegal voting in Boston.

France orders a large lot of American railroad cars with which to equip her roads.

Detective Jackson of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas road fatally shot by train robbers.

Vessels along the coast had a hard time in last Friday's gale, several wrecks and lives lost.

Weavers in the Springvale woolen mills, Maine, receive an advance of 15 per cent. in wages.

The Hon. Wm. Jennings Bryan receives an ovation in Boston and other New England cities.

Rev. Samuel A. Elliott to succeed Dr. E. E. Hale at the South Congregational Church, Boston.

Rev. A. C. Dixon in his revival meeting at New York attacks Unitarianism as one form of infidelism.

While stealing a ride on the Fitchburg road Saturday night David Lablance was run over and killed.

A New York police judge has decided that soap is a necessity and the selling of it on Sunday is not illegal.

William Goebel, the contesting Democratic candidate for governor of Kentucky assassinated at Frankfort.

Helen Gould gives 25,000 towards the Union Theological Seminary at Berea College, Kentucky.

The top of the desk behind which Admiral Dewey sat when at school was sold the other day for $25.

St. Paul is having difficulty in securing ice enough to build its usual winter palace for a carnival.

Efforts being made to have Sec. Gage dropped from the cabinet in the event of McKinley's re-election.

John G. Gallagher, a 17-year old lad of Boston, fatally shoots his little sister while cleaning a revolver.

Benjamin Wells Dunklee, originator of furnace heating, died on Tuesday, at seventy-eight years of age.

Alanson Borden, ex-mayor of New Bedford and judge of the third district court, dies in his 78th year.

Rapid progress being made in winding up the affairs of the Broadway bank and depositors will be paid in full.

Dr. Charles Franklin Dunbar, professor of political economy at Harvard died on Tuesday at the age of sixty-eight years.

School janitors of Boston make an effort to be retired on a pension of half pay after a fixed period of service.

Jeremiah J. McCarthy, the surveyor of the port of Boston, wants a larger Custom House and Mr. McCarthy usually gets there.

Mrs. Vanhorn of Sioux Fall, S. D., confesses on her death bed to a murder for which Thomas Egan was hanged in 1882.

Government is making experiments with an automatic machine gun which weighs but twelve pounds and will fire 450 shots a minute.

The size of largest gun in American warships has been limited in the future to the 12-inch projectile which weighs 850 pounds.

York, Pa., and East Orange, N. Y., are the latest towns to be beneficiaries of Andrew Carnegie. He gives each of them $50,000 for a public library.

The city council of Cleveland has voted to place spittoons on the sidewalks at intervals of 200 feet and people must spit in those or not at all on the street.

Miss Jennie Murphy of Troy, N. Y., was 19 years old last Wednesday and on going to the breakfast table found a check for $100,000 under her plate. Her father was able to do it.

ANOTHER SUCCESS.

Percy F. Baker Adds One More to List of Triumphs.

Concert of Friday Evening Attracts Large Audience.

The concert given at the Baptist Church Friday evening last by Percy F. Baker, the well-known baritone of this town, attracted an audience which completely filled the spacious auditorium of that edifice. Mr. Baker was assisted by Eva L. Baker, soprano; Myra C. Homes, of Boston, reader; Wulf Fries, of Boston, cello; A. M. Raymond, accompanist; and the following elaborate programme was furnished:

Organ, Selected
A. M. Raymond.
Reading, A Story: "The Comet"
Myra Churchill Holmes.
Cello, "Airs from Martha," (Paque)
Wulf Fries.
Baritone, "Dio Possente," from Faust
Percy F. Baker.
Reading, A Sketch:
"What a Little Ex-Angel Remembers"
Miss Holmes.
Soprano,
"When the Heart is Young," (Buck)
Eva L. Baker.
Cello, (a) "Adagio" (Beethoven)
(b) "Vito," (Spanish Dance) (Popper)
Wulf Fries.
Reading, A Sketch:
"Back to the Good Old Days"
Miss Holmes.
Baritone,
"Toreador's Love Song" (Couchois)
Mr. Baker.
Cello, (a) "Romance" (Jules De Swert)
(b) "Hungarian Variations" (Dunkler)
Wulf Fries.
Reading, A Story. Selected
Miss Holmes.

Mr. Raymond's number was executed in his characteristic manner and his artistic accompaniment added greatly to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Miss Holmes, the reader is an artist of rare ability. Although this was her first appearance before a Weymouth audience, her reputation had preceeded her and was well sustained throughout the evening. Her entire collection was rendered in a manner that left no room for criticism but the choice seemed to lie between her second and third numbers, viz: "What a Little Ex-Angel Remembers" and "Back to the Good Old Days" respectively.

Wulf Fries with his cello had delighted Weymouth audiences upon numerous oc- in the past and he is an artist of such high repute that no remarks from us are needed.

Mr. Baker was no uncertain quantity; he had given us examples of his musical ability upon numerous previous occasions, but Friday evening he appeared to excellent advantage. His first number, "Dio Possente" from Faust, showed much study, while his second number "Toreador's Love Song" took the audience by storm.

Mrs. Baker's solo, "When the Heart is Young," by Buck was well rendered and enthusiastically received.

Encores were a feature of the evening, every artist being obliged to respond a second time.

Throughout the entire program, it was evident that much time and forethought had been spent in its arrangement.

Mr. Baker is to be congratulated upon the success of the affair, and we think that had the weather been more favorable an even larger audience would have been in attendance.

The ushers were Henry Linton, Leo Mann, Royal Briton, Carleton Drown and and Charles Willoby.

Riches in the Transvaal.

The yield of these Kimberley diamond mines is said to average about fifty-five hundred carats a day. They furnish ninety-five per cent. of the world's diamonds. Mr. Kunz, of Tiffany's, estimates that so far nine and a half tons, worth three hundred million dollars in the rough and double that when polished, have been taken out of the Kimberley "yellow" and "blue." On a nominal capital of less than twenty millions, the DeBeers company pays annual dividends of fifty per cent.

But the record of Kimberley should not obscure the fact that elsewhere in South Africa there are infinite riches in a little room." For instance, the largest diamond known to exist was found at Jagersfontein, eighty miles away—a gem two and a half inches long, one and a quarter inches thick and two inches wide, weighing nine hundred and seventy-one carats, or nearly half a pound avoirdupois. And in many parts of South Africa gold is plentiful, notably in the Witwatersrand region of the Transvaal. When the present war began, the Transvaal was yielding annually about sixty million dollars' worth of gold—or more than one-fifth of the world's production, of which, by the way, the United States is credited with nearly sixty millions.

Conservative authorities have estimated that, carried down to a depth of four thousand feet, the Rand mines will yield in all more than three and a half billion dollars' worth of gold, of which almost a third will represent clear profit.

The old phrase of "a king's ransom" seems thin and meaningless when one realizes the enormous wealth destined to be controlled by the victor in the present struggle.—The Youth's Companion.

The Youth's Companion will have some novel features in its next volume, among others several groups of stories which are entirely separate, yet with the same character appearing at different periods of his life in all the stories of a group. The authors are among the most successful and popular Companion writers. The characters differ widely, yet each has a marked individuality. Their presentation at different stages of their careers not only shows most interestingly the development of character, but forms a pleasing bond of unity between stories which are entirely complete in themselves.

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Court Monatiquot's Show Well Attended.

A minstrel show of high standard was given in Odd Fellow's Opera house Tuesday evening by the members of Court Monatiquot, No. 150, F. of A. The affair was under the direction of Prof. Danny Haley and was attended by an audience that completey filled the large hall. Miss Alice Tracey presided at the piano. Daniel M. Ryan was interlocutor and the circle was follows:—D. M. Ryan, J. Close, P. Sullivan, F. Powers, P. White, T. White, J. Deslauries, T. Martell, H. Richmond, J. Gorman, J. Deslauries, M. Garrity, E. O'Connor, D. E. Kiley, W. Deslauries.

The curtain rose at 8 o'clock and the evening's entertainment opened with a chorus by the entire company consisting of about forty voices. The program then proceeded in the following order:

"Good Bye, My Baby," Thos. White.
"Where the Sweet Magnolia Blooms," Peter White.
"I've Just Received A Telegram From Baby," John Gorman.
"Pologize, Mr. Jackson, Pologize," Joseph Deslauries.
"Won't You Take Me Back To Dixie," Fred Powers.
"I Ain't Seen No Messenger Boy,' Harry Richmond.
"My Ann Elizer," Mark Garrity.
"At the Sound of the Signal Bell," Peter Sullivan.
"You're All Right, But You Can't Ring In," Thos. Martell.
"My Hannah, Lady," John Deslauries.
"The Girl I Loved in Sunny Tennesee," John Close.
"All I Want is My Black Baby Back," Edward O'Connor.
"Smoky Mokes," Dennis Kiley.
"I'd Leave My Happy Home For You," William Deslauries.
Grand Finale, Full Company.

The end men were gorgeously arrayed in shining silken suits of various hues, and with their songs and jokes kept the audience in good humor throughout the entire evening.

Harry Richmond made a hit in "I Ain't Seen No Messenger Boy," and was obliged to respond for the third time while every other number on the program was encored.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the closing chorus, which consisted of a medley of patriotic airs and ended with a tableau in which the goddess of Liberty played a prominent part.

At the close of the first part of the entertainment, C. R., George A. McGowan presented Miss Alice Tracey with a hand some bouquet of cut flowers, in behalf of her Weymouth friends. Dr. C. H. Pfefferkorn then entertained the audience, with legerdermain and W. H. White gave several exhibitions of his marvelous strength.

The Robertson and Butler, acrobatic team of Quincy ended the entertainment with a laughable farce. entitled "Casey at the Gymn."

A much-debated question is whether or not our universities are not producing more graduates than the various professions can employ. This will be discussed in three articles to be issued by The Youth's Companion, one from the point of view of the applied sciences, by President Henry Morton, of the Stevens Institute of Technology; one from the point of view of a lawyer, by Prof. Isaac Franklin Russell, of the New York University Law School; and another on the question in its general aspects, by President J. B. Angell, of the University of Michigan.

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HINTS TO FARMERS.

When borers once get into a peach tree there is nothing to do but to cut them out No application can be made to the outside of a tree to kill the borers inside of it.

In garden culture some growers set the plants a foot apart in the bed and cut off all runners, and this is a good plan, and insures larger berries than can be grown in close matted rows.

Never "break a sitting hen from hatching a brood." When a hen becomes broody she has reached a point where incubation is essential to her success as a source of profit to her owner, and to deprive her of hatching a brood only delays her.

All cultivated plants are benefited by a permeable soil, through which their roots can penetrate in search of food; and although depth of soil is not fully equivalent to its superficial extension, it is evident that there must be a great increase of product from this cause.

Lookout for sudden changes; greenhouse plants are delicate when transferred to the house, and no plant, whether it be house or greenhouse grown, should be subjected to such things as sudden fluctations in conditions.

When it is considered, that a fair crop of corn can be grown on land of ordinary quality, and that the crop can be raised and gathered with less labor than most other grains, no good reason can be given why the farmer should not raise enough for his own consumption.

If you will get a good male bird this year and put with those mongrels, you will see quite a change in the young stock raised this coming season. Remember the male is half the flock.

One of the little things which is not absolutely essential, but which the keeper of a flock of hens will be well paid for preparing, is charcoal. The hens will not consume a great quantity of it, but they seem to need a certain amount of it, and the good effects of it are admitted by all.

Much time is lost in the spring by waiting for plants and seeds. Orders for seeds should be sent in before January is over. Make out the list of the varieties desired and give plain directions, to avoid mistakes. Every spring there are many who are delayed in their work by ordering plants and seeds just at the time they are wanted.

More room is required in the poultry house in winter than in summer, because during the warm season the fowls can go outside, only requiring sufficient room roosting, but in winter they need room for scratching when the snow is on the ground. It is the space on the floor that is required and not on the roost, for when a hen fixes herself on the roost she will be quiet until morning, but during the day she should be kept busy.

If young trees are set out early in the spring be careful to not expose the roots so as to allow them to dry. Make the holes large so as to receive all the roots without cramping or bending them, and return the top soil to the roots, pressing firmly and setting the soil with plenty of water.

Place eggs for hatching in a basket or box without regard to position, cover with a cloth to prevent undue evaporation by direct exposure to the air, and leave them undisturbed until wanted. They will be better than if handled and turned. Any cloth will give sufficient ventilation to keep the air around the eggs sweet if the air of the apartment is pure.

The proper time to apply any kind of fertilizer to an orchard is in the winter. Then the melting snow and spring rain carry its solubule portions into the soil. There is in every direction from a vigorous tree such a network of roots that there is no possibility of the fertilizer being washed away through the soil without being at some point taken up and brought into the tree.

The Big Store.

The big store at Quincy start their Red Letter sale Monday morning. Their manager informs us that this sale has been in preparation for weeks as they anticipate an early spring season and are taking this method to close out all goods left from this season.

Slumming as a fad is dangerous and unprofitable, decides Mrs. Ballington Booth after a long experience in battling with poverty and vice in the slums of the great cities, which is summarized in an interesting article in the February Ladies' Home Journal. In the same magazine An American Mother writes on "Have Women Robbed Men of Their Religion?" and Ian Maclaren on "The Pew and the Man in It." Franklin Fyles' article is on "The First Night of a Play," Mrs. Burton Kingsland's on "The Correct Wedding of Today," and Herbert Putnam, Librarian of Congress, describes "What it Means to be a Librarian." "The Parson's Butterfly," a serial by a new novelist, is begun in the February Journal, and "Edith and I in Paris," "The Autobiography of a Girl" and "Her Boston Experiences" are continued. "Frank Stockton's New Home in West Virginia" is described and pictured, and a close personal view is given of "The Idol of the Girls"—Mlle. Chaminade, composer and pianist. "Mr. Dooley's" author transforms Molly Donahue into a voter, but she does not get her vote counted. There are lively scenes on Archey Road at election time. The domestic features are exceptionally interesting. By The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar a year; ten cents a copy.

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LESSONS IN HISTORY.

(Written for This Paper.)

"YOU said you would tell us another one of those stories about Russia, grandpa," said little Nell, as she climbed onto her grandfather's knee after the evening meal had been finished.

"So I believe I did," answered grandpa, "but let me see what one it was to be. You know there are so many stories about that mysterious land that I have most forgotten just which one it was to be."

"I know," said Tom, "it was about Ivan the Terrible king. I told my teacher about the story you told us the other evening, and she said she never heard of that story before, but she knew all about the one you said you would tell us, but I don't believe she did, for she wouldn't tell us the story."

"Maybe she does know it, Tom, maybe she does," said grandpa. "It ain't such a very common story, but I guess it's been told lots of times before.

"It isn't about a terrible king, however, but about a terrible czar, which is much the same thing after all, for a czar and a king are a good deal alike. This czar's name was Ivan, and because there had been other czars of the same name before him, he was called Ivan the Fourth, just as his father had been known as Vassil the Third, because there had been other Vassils.

"He was only a little boy, nothing but a baby, when his father died and left him to rule a nation. That was in 1533, less than 50 years after Columbus had discovered America. Of course, at first he did not know much about governing a great nation, and he had a number of wiser men for counselors, who really governed the nation in the baby czar's name.

"The little Russian boys and girls who know all about this little czar would te'l you that he was a very sweet little boy when his father died, and that everybody loved him. Then when he was only eight years old his mother died also, and the great families of Russia began to quarrel about who should be the little czar's counselors. These quarrels were kept up until he became only old enough to understand them a little, and all the time his sweet boy nature was changing to one that would make all Russia tremble.

"He was only 13 years old when he became so tired of the constant quarrels that he asserted his authority, took the power of governing from the men who had been his counselors, and became the ruler of Russia in earnest. In those days the boy ruler was not known as Ivan the Terrible, but was rather looked upon as one of the kindest and most considerate of all the monarchs the then unhappy country had ever had. A few years later he married a good woman, and with her help, although his education while a boy had been neglected by his ambitious counselors, he became the most learned man of his country. He defeated in battle the Tartars, old enemies of the Russians and who had held them in practical bondage for many years. For all of these things he was hailed everywhere throughout his empire as a gracious, able and kind ruler.

"And then all of this was changed almost in a day, and the way in which it was changed teaches us, even at this late day, a noble lesson to beware of deceit and how we practice it. Ivan was taken sick, and it was thought that he had but a very few hours to live. Calling to him the men whom he trusted, and to whom he had given high places in his government, he requested that they swear allegiance to his son, whom he wished to reign after him. They readily did this while they were beside their sick monarch, but just as soon as they could get into the next room they began quarreling, and proclaimed their unwillingness to accept Ivan's son as the heir to the throne. You see the trouble was that these nobles all claimed their descent from the great family of Ruric, which had at one time been the ruling family of Russia, while Ivan had married outside of this family, and his wife, and the mother of the son whom he wished to reign after him, was of the family of Romanoffs, and the haughty nobles did not wish this new family to secure any influence in the land.

"While these treacherous nobles were planning the downfall and ruin of the young prince, whose father had been such a good and kind ruler, the father was hearing everything they said. The nobles did not care if he did hear it, for they thought that he would be dead in a little while, and could do nothing to oppose them. But Ivan did not die then; instead he got well again, and when he did his whole nature was changed. Instead of the kind and gracious monarch of the past, he became suspicious of everybody. He punished the unfaithful nobles for whom he had done so much in the past, and dismissed them from the offices which they held.

"All through his life he had been trying to forget the bitter things which had crept into his nature while he was but a little boy without either father or mother to guide him, and with no one but selfish counselors to go to for advice, but this experience at such a time aroused all this suspicion, hatred and cruelty again, and for this his nation was to suffer.

"So great did his suspicion of his former friends become that he finally left his capital city, Moscow, and went to live at Alexandrofska, and here it was that he organized a body of dreaded guardians, who rode about the streets of his new capital with a dog's head and a broom attached to their saddles, to signify that they were to sweep the country of treason. These dreaded men forsook every person they had ever loved for the czar. They would not even protect their fathers and mothers or their sisters and brothers, but took an oath to obey only the czar in everything that he wished, no matter whom it affected. In return for this service the czar turned over to them whole streets of the city of Moscow, from which he had felt obliged to move. If the czar felt that some one of his people was plotting against him he would not order his arrest, but would simply intimate to these dreaded men that it was best that such a man should be done away with, and almost instantly the man would disappear. Hundreds of just such cases were happening all the time, and no one in all the great Russian empire felt safe from the raids of these dreaded guardians of the czar.

"As the once popular ruler grew older he grew more passionate and cruel. Even his own family felt the weight of his terrible cruelty, and at one time he struck his eldest son with an iron rod such a cruel and terrible blow that the boy died. The prosperity that his country had known during his earlier years was almost all lost, and he finished his long reign amid a series of disasters. When he died, in 1584, nearly everyone in all his great empire was glad that he was gone, and yet had it not been for his deceitful counselors he might have continued to be the wise and kind ruler which he started in to be."

"That's enough for to-night, grandpa, The little folks must go to bed now," said mamma, who had herself been as interested listener to grandpa's story.

WRIGHT A. PATTERSON.

Realism Indeed.

Jings—How was the new play last night?

Minks—Biggest thing yet. One scene shows Broadway natural as life; wonderful thing, wonderful! Real wagons, real horses, real paving stones, real excavations, real dirt and genuine imported Italians digging at it.—N. Y. Weekly.

Reason in His Grief.

Captain (to Plachinsky, who thinks the vessel is going down)—Brace up! Brace up, and die like a man!

Plachinsky—It aind't dot I'm afraid to die, captain; but choost before der voyage I paid me a hundreds pounds for a plot in der cemetery; and now, choost dink, I can't use it! Oh, it vos awful, awful!—Tit-Bits.

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While we have an efficient corps of regular contributors, there is much of interest that in the nature of things, they cannot get. Let your interest in your local paper and pride in your town lead you to aid in making the Gazette more bright and newsy.

ENTERED AT THE POST OFFICE AT WEYMOUTH, MASS., AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER.

FRIDAY, FEB. 2, 1900.

A bill was introduced in the legislature on Tuesday providing that the Braintree Toll bridge, Quincy bridge and Hingham bridge be maintained in the future by Norfolk and Plymouth counties in the proportion of three quarters and one quarter. The bill provides for a board of joint county bridge commissioners or trustees. The bill was introduced by by Representative E. W. Hunt who is working hard in its favor.

It has cost the town of Weymouth upwards of $11,000 we understand in the last 10 years to keep Quincy and Hingham bridges in repair. They are always out of repair and there is also the ever present danger of a serious accident through some weakness of the structures or oversight in repairs with perhaps alarming amounts of damage suits against the town. If the maintenance of these bridges can properly be unloaded on the counties it will be a relief to Weymouth and also to Hingham and Braintree. The Quincy bridge draw is far from adequate to the demands to be made upon it and very expensive alterations and repairs must soon be made. As it is now this must fall upon Quincy and Weymouth.

These bridges are used by the general public of Norfolk and Plymouth counties more than by the towns now sustaining the burdens and it would seem to be proper that the state or county should control and maintain them rather than that it should all fall upon the abutting towns and in the case of Braintree its bridge is wholly within its town limits and therefore is maintained entirely by Braintree at quite an expense. We think Mr. Hunt is on the right track and should receive good support in his effort to shift the burdens of these bridges on to a broader basis of support.

While speaking of this subject of bridges, if a new bridge is to be built in the near future at Quincy Point, what a splendid thing it would be to build solid abutments out to the channel and put in a lock so as to keep the river above the bridge full all the time like a lake. It could be done easily and aside from the lock itself would not be so tremendously expensive. We wish Mr. Hunt success in this maiden effort in legislation which he intends to be a benefit to his district in the saving of taxes by ridding these towns of the exclusive care of these bridges.

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The town seal is being prepared which is to be submitted by the selectmen to the town for adoption at the March meeting. The seal is to represent some ideas from the early history of the town. Mr. J. J. Loud, president of the Weymouth Historical Society, furnished the original sketches of these ideas and Mr. Bradford Hawes worked them together and drew the rough sketch of the seal, from which we have had a seal made which we think will prove very pleasing to the people of the town in its artistic beauty and appropriateness. The seal will appear upon the town reports but of course is not official until adopted by the town.

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The shooting affair in Kentucky is a sad outcome of intense political rivalries. With Frankfort in a state of insurrection the beautiful Blue-Grass State is not holding out the best of inducements for the further building up of its population or capital.

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The tragedies of the Boer-English war continue, and the question now is, Can England win? There are many who begin to doubt if even the power of the British Empire can crush these sharpshooting Dutch in their fortified fastnesses. England is all powerful on the sea, but on the land that supremacy is wanting and she has to meet her foes on an equal basis.

A. W. B.

There seems to be one article, of iron or steel manufacture, which the Dingley or some other tariff does not protect. The steamer Ultonia landed 150 tons of rat traps in East Boston on her last trip, which an American manufactures in France, as, with duties and freight added, there is 30 per cent. more in them than if they had been made in this land of coal and iron.

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Some legislators are funny men. It is now more than two hundred and sixty years since the legislature of Massachusetts expelled Roger Williams from its territory, and after all these years Massachusetts has a man at the State House who proposes to right the wrong by legislating him back. It might be a good idea to make the member a committee of one to hunt for the departed early settler; he would do less harm while on the hunt than he will in the State house.

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The beautiful stories of William Tell and Robinson Crusoe which we loved in our childhood have been declared myths and now Marion Harland says the succulent potato must be relegated to the rear. Thus they go one after another the food of soul, mind and body.

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The noted evangelist Lon E. Broughton, has won a national reputation for himself by assailing almost the entire class of female stenographers as a body of lewd and licentious women, but stenography has come to stay as one of the most important factors in manufactures, commerce and all other industries and long after Broughton has gone to decay fine and noble women will be engaged in stenography, the same as today.

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The old speeches of the past five years in the Legislature relative to the Gipsy moth have been warmed over and are being used to catch the unwary. Three years ago $10,000 would finish the work. We have since spent a half a million and they now ask for $200,000 more.

M. E. H.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Installation and Work at Pythian Hall, Weymouth, Last Evening.

The installation of the officers-elect of Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., took place last evening, the installing officer being D. G. C. Archie H. Doten of Damocles Lodge, No. 16, assisted by Past Chancellors E. P. Lewis and F. O. Bradford of Damocles Lodge, No. 16, of Brockton; H. B. Vinton of Monatiquot Lodge, No. 83, of Braintree, and E. W. Hunt, C. T. Bailey and B. F. Johnson of Delphi Lodge. Visitors were present from several of the neighboring lodges and the following officers were installed: C. C., James A. Pray; V. C., Geo. E. Ludden; P., F. A. Sulis; M. of W., C. P. Whittle; K. R. S., F. M. Drown; M. of F., F. H. Dow; M. of E., J. H. Pierce; M. at A., R. B. Worster; I. G., T. G. Hyland; O. G., J. W. Hender. The rank of esquire was conferred upon three pages and speechmaking and a banquet followed.

The annual anniversary will be held somewhere around the 22d of this month, the exact date having not been decided upon by the committee, who will no doubt make every effort to have an enjoyable time.

The rank of knight is in order for next Thursday evening.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Weymouth Historical Society Elects Officers.

The annual business meeting of the Weymouth Historical Society was held Wednesday evening and the following officers elected to serve throughout the ensuing year: President, John J. Loud; corresponding and recording secretary, Samuel W. Reed; treasurer, Charles T. Crane; librarian, Miss Carrie A. Blanchard; executive committee, the above-named officers and Herbert A. Newton; committee on nominations, Francis H. Cowing, Samuel W. Reed, Henry B. Reed; library committee, Rev. William Hyde, John S. C. Blanchard, John J. Loud; committee on order of business, William H. Reed, Samuel W. Reed, Rev. William Hyde.

Christian and Missionary Alliance.

The twelfth annual convention of the Boston branch of the Christian and Missionary Alliance will be held February 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th, 1900, in Berkeley Temple, corner Berkeley street and Warren avenue, Boston, Rev William Franklin, supt.

ORDER OF SERVICE.

9-10 a. m., prayer service.
10-11 a. m., Bible study by Rev. F. W. Farr.
11-12 a. m., addresses.
2-3 p. m., praise and testimony meeting.
3-5 p. m., addresses.
7.30 p. m., song service by chorus choir.
8-9 p. m., addresses.

SUBJECTS.

Tuesday, Feb. 6, "Holy Spirit."
Wednesday, Feb. 7, "Divine Healing."
Thursday, Feb. 8, "Missions."
Friday, Feb. 9, "Lord's Return."

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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The Monday Club.

The next regular meeting of The Monday Club will be held in Masonic hall, Monday, Feb. 5, commencing at 2.30 o'clock. The speaker will be Miss Anna C. Fall, a lawyer of Boston, and her subject "Law as it affects Women," will no doubt appeal to every member.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects the management of the paper distinctly disclaiming all responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

North Weymouth, Jan. 26, 1900.

To the Editor:

I should like to call attention, through your columns, to the poor lighting of the state road in this section of the town between Quincy Point and Bicknell square. The writer has occasion to travel this part of the road quite frequently, after nightfall, and has in several instances narrowly escaped being run into, owing to the darkness. From the Point bridge to Bicknell square I have counted (excluding the Bicknell square light) three lights, which seems, considering the distance, rather a small number. I trust that this may come to the notice of the proper authorities and that they will remedy the matter.

A. TAXPAYER.

Robbed!

You wouldn't pay for a dozen oranges and accept half a dozen. Yet you pay for a pound of coffee and accept half a pound!

Suppose you look at it in this way:—You buy coffee for its flavor and aroma. Roasted coffee parts very quickly with both when exposed to the air. It is possible for a pound of coffee to lose one-half its strength. It is then of no more value than half a pound of fresh coffee.

When you buy exposed coffee from a bin it has lost more or less of its virtue. You don't get it all! It is just as if you had bought pears and some one had bitten a piece from each pear.

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and try it. It was hermetically sealed as it came from the roaster. You never tasted such coffee! One cup will be worth a world of argument. Just try it! Do it to-day! Every grocer sells it.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The regular debate, held last Friday afternoon was on the question: Resolved, that the unrestricted employment of women in business is detrimental to the public welfare. Affirmative: Miss Raymond, Miss Hall, Merton Holbrook. Negative: Leavitt, Miss Tilden, Deane. The negative side won. Next Friday the Debating Society will elect officers to serve the remainder of the school year.

Miss Magay has been compelled to return to her home in Cambridge on account of illness. The other teachers and, in some studies, several of the senior scholars are attempting to take her place temporarily.

High School Reception. Class of 1902.

Last Friday evening the sophomore class gave its annual reception at the High school. On account of the boisterous weather the attendance was much smaller than usual, but those who did come were amply repaid by an excellent programme and an otherwise pleasant evening. After the usual receiving, the following programme was given:

Grand March, Mr. Hunt
Piano duet, Miss Hender and Miss Nash
Reading, Miss McQuinn
Solo, Miss Burrell
Two-minute speeches (ex tempore),
Two members of each class.
Piano trio, Messrs. White, Hunt and Soule
Reading, Miss White
Hot coffee, Pianist, Miss Nash
Mending contest,
Two boys from each class.
Nail-driving contest,
Two girls from each class,
(Won by Miss Tirrell, 1902).
Japanese Tucker.

Reynolds W. R. C. No. 102.

Last Thursday night, although very stormy, about fifty of the W. R. C. met at G. A. R. hall with the new officers in their places. Past President Mrs. Norton of Haverhill Corps was present. Treasurer Mrs. Mary Smith was presented with a gift from the corps by P. P. Mrs. Cully. The next meeting will be held on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 15, to be followed by a supper and entertainment.

Fogg Library Fair.

Watch our columns next week for ad. of Fogg Library fair.

Vespers.

A largely attended vesper service was held at the Union Congregational Church of Weymouth and Braintree Sunday evening under the direction of the music committee of the church. Lewis E. Tilden presided at the organ, and the choir was assisted by Mrs. Eva L. Baker, Mrs. Ellsworth, Miss Emma Clapp, La Forest Lincoln, Percy F. Baker and Stuart Mason, violinist. Rev. H. S. Snyder delivered an interesting discourse upon the subject, "Habits."

Precipitation.

The rain-fall in this district for the month just ended, was 4.78 inches.

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To hear the famous impersonator and reciter of negro dialect of the South. Mr. W. W. Lucas A. M., S. T. B., perfectly illustrates the manner and dialect of the Southern negro. He was at the M. E. Church one year ago, and although the evening was a stormy one, the church was filled to overflowing. As this talented negro is soon to accept a responsible professorship in a large university, this will be your last opportunity to hear him.

Selections from the negro poet, Dunbar, at the M. E. Church, Wednesday evening, Feb. 14th.

Old Colony Club.

The next regular meeting of the Old Colony Club will be held in the Union Church, South Weymouth, on Thursday, Feb. 8, at three o'clock. At this meeting a lecture will be given by Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, of Amherst; subject, "An Ascent of Fugi the Peerless." This will be a lecture of great interest, and the public is cordially invited to attend. Price of admission, twenty-five cents.

Basket Ball, Sophomores vs. Freshmen.

The girls' basket ball teams of the sophomore and the freshman classes played a match game Thursday afternoon. It was a very exciting game and some excellent individual playing was done.

SOPHOMORES.		FRESHMEN.
Miss Martell,	r.f.	Miss Smith,
Miss Wentworth,	l.f.	Miss Fraser,
Miss Ford,	c.	Miss Lovell,
Miss Nash,	r.g.	Miss Allen,
Miss Burrell,	l.g.	Miss Sulis.

Referee, Miss Tilden; umpires, Misses Nolan and Raymond; goals, sophomores, Miss Martell 6, Miss Wentworth 1; freshmen, Miss Smith 3, Miss Fraser 2. Score, sophomores 14, freshmen 10.

There is no better medicine for the babies than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Its pleasant taste and prompt and effectual cures make it a favorite with mothers and small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds, preventing pneumonia or other serious consequences. It also cures croup and has been used in tens of thousands of cases without a single failure so far as we have been able to learn. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. In cases of whooping cough it liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, and lessens the severity and frequency of the paroxysms of coughing, thus depriving that disease of all dangerous consequences. For sale by
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New Advertisements THIS WEEK.

Matters of interest and profit to our readers.

Board of Registrars, notice to voters.
Derby & Thayer, special sale.
F. A. Sulis, Nevershrink.
Chas. Q. Bates, Washington square waiting room.
M. C. Nash & Co., groceries, etc.
Haviland Suspender Co., Leader Suspender.
Wildy Savings Bank.
Miss Mae Raymond Poole, teacher of piano.
Quincy Department Store, red letter sale.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co., iron beds.
A. H. Small, groceries, etc.
Gordon Willis, fancy groceries.
W. H. Spencer, storage, etc.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

—The illustrated Sunday night lectures of Rev. A. W. Kingsley at the M. E. Church have been an interesting series of services and by request Mr. Kingsley will give a review of several of them next Sunday evening.

—Received today! 100 pounds of those very fine old fashioned chocolate drops that are all the crase; 25c. at Harlow's.

—Fred E. Mann gave a fine graphophone entertainment to the members of the Washington Club Monday evening. He has a fine instrument and a liberal stock of very choice records.

—James L. Lincoln is still confined to his home.

—M. C. Dizer & Co. are adding facilities for producing leather, by the Easton process of tanning, at the Haskell factory.

—A live electric light wire across the trolley line of the Q. & B. road caused a short delay on Monday.

—Miss Marion Mann of Laselle Seminary was home for a short visit Sunday.

—Frank Tucker who was called from Colorado on account of the death of his mother, returned to his western field of labor yesterday.

—Cisco W. Hart has been holding his own for the past few days and hopes are entertained of his recovery.

—Don't forget that toilet water, violet and crushed rose, 25c. per bottle at Harlow's.

—The rains of the past week have made a material rise in Whitman's pond but the ice harvest is looking extremely doubtful.

—A boy came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund P. White on Lake street last Friday.

—Caroline and Frederick Whittier of Haverhill have been spending a few days with their grandparents, Capt. and Mrs. Nathan Goodspeed.

—The program of the concert to be given by Mrs. Jeannette Lovell in the Opera house next Wednesday evening is one of unusual excellence, both as to talent and selections. A rare treat is in store for the people. Mrs. Lovell will be assisted by Misses Lovell, Mr. Thomas E. Clifford, baritone; Miss Blanche Percival, violinist and Miss Pauline D. Browne, pianist.

—A. H. Small of Kingston has moved into the house recently vacated by J. A. Connell.

—Mrs. B. W. Cushing has been quite ill the past week, but is improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Burns were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Custance on Sunday.

—A hot water bottle makes an awful good bedfellow, provided the hot water keeps in place. Harlow guarantees his bottles against any reasonable kicking. Only 75c.

—Miss Sarah J. Graves has been suffering with a prolonged attack of palpitation of the heart. The crisis is passed and she is somewhat better.

—Daniel Riley is cutting the wood from his lot near Whitman's pond.

—Mrs. James Sheppard of Boston is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alton.

—Florence McCarthy was home from Lawrence on Sunday.

—Harlow's Cream Balm for sale at L. A. Cook's.

—James Roberts is confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

—Miss Sadie E. Ford who is studying at the Homeopathic Training School for nurses, was home for a short visit this week.

—E. Q. S. Litchfield is confined to his home this week with a severe cold.

—Wm. Lynch and Edward Frahar have been busy this week with the mid-year examinations at Boston college.

—Thomas Furlong has accepted a position in the packing room at the factory of M. C. Dizer & Co.

—Miss Annie Creedon of Brockton spent Sunday with Miss Julia Corcoran.

—Miss Grace McKeever is home on a two week's vacation.

—A strange fisherman "staked out" at Elias' Pond Monday and hooked a large string of pickerel. The old folks, however, overshadowed him with tales of "what we used to do."

—J. A. Connell started for Cuba on Wednesday.

—James Fogarty of Abington has been visiting friends in town this week.

—A. H. Small, the new proprietor of the store formerly occupied by John A. Connell, has made the old and well known stand very attractive by extensive improvements and will have a grand opening tomorrow, Saturday.

—The largest whist party of the season was that of the Sodality in the Opera house Wednesday night. Honors were contested for at fifty-two tables and were won by Mary Bussiere and John McCarthy. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served.

—A new fad for the shopping bag. A small hot water bottle, 50c. at Harlow's.

—The Fairmount Cemetery Circle will meet next week with Mrs. William H. Berry, High street.

—Miss Daisy Pratt is presiding at the cash draw and books at Humphrey Bros., after a week's absence on account of sickness.

—The children, grandchildren and many friends of Mrs. Abraham Bates who is temporarily with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Vance, in Abington, visited her Monday night to congratulate her on her 9th birthday.

—The East Weymouth Fire Department was represented at the firemen's ball in Abington Wednesday night.

—The turkey supper and entertainment at the M. E. Church next week is an assured success.

—A large number of people was present at the sociable in the vestry of the Congregational Church Wednesday evening. The entertainment, given under the direction of Mrs. G. M. Hoyt, was a most excellent one and comprised a piano duet by Mrs. Florence Cutter and Miss Emma Bates; procession of the months led by Eleanor Totman as the new year; piano solo, Carlton Soule. Interspersed were games and selections on a phonograph in charge of Spencer Crowe.

Fox Captured.

Leonard Tirrell, the manager of Red Rock farm has had a large number of ducks killed by a fox. Although many traps have been set the only result has been the capture of domestic animals. Monday morning Mr. Tirrell got his eye on the fox making off with one of his choice duck and succeeded in killing him which makes the second fox killed in that vicinity in a short time. Fox hunting is not entirely a thing of the past.

Polo.

Jan. 25 the Plymouths defeated the East Weymouths 5 to 2. The visitors had the game all their own way, toward the end, however, the home team braced up, but it was too late.

Jan. 27 the Salems defeated the home team 8 to 4. The features of the game being the phenomenal work of Jason who scored almost at will.

Addie (Witherell) Hobart Burial.

As we remarked last week High street had just sustained a severe loss in the death of Mrs. Chester C. Hobart and the marked esteem in which the deceased was held by neighbors and friends was manifested at the funeral which was held at her late home on Saturday. Rev. Melvin Nash of Hanover was the officiating clergyman and a quartette composed of Mrs. T. H. Emerson, Miss Susie E. Raymond, La Forest Lincoln and C. Will Bailey gave several appropriate selections.

The deceased, Addie Witherell, was a native of Marshfield and was at the time of her death 43 years and 23 days of age. She leaves a husband, Chester C. Hobart; a daughter, Mabel, wife of Everett S. Damon; a sister, wife of C. L. Danforth, South Hingham, and many friends to mourn her loss. The bearers were Frank Hobart, Arthur Hobart, Alonzo G. Pratt and W. R. Andrews, and Fairmount cemetery was the place of interment.

Candlemas Day.

Candlemas Day was celebrated at the Church of the Immaculate Conception with appropriate ceremonies. At the close of the services at the church tomorrow evening the blessing of throats will take place.

PORTER.

—Everett M. Pratt who has been confined to his home this week, is now convalescent.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rufus S. Osborne spent Sunday with Henry Townsend of Scituate.

—Naaman Cobb, an old and respected citizen of Porter is slowly improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Jenkins of Boston spend Sunday with relatives here.

—Miss Mae Poole who has been visiting relatives in New York for the past three months has returned home.

Sarah D. Quinn Funeral.

The last solemn rites in honor of Mrs. Sarah D., wife of Jeremiah Quinn, were performed at the Porter Church last Sunday afternoon. The remains were borne up the aisle of the church, where her voice has been heard so often in song, by Austin B. Shaw, Adolphus P. Pool, Ellis S. Poole and George F. Maynard. A profusion of floral offerings in many designs were sweet reminders of extensive friendship. The little chapel was crowded to its utmost capacity with people, and many failed to gain admittance. The services were conducted by Rev. William Kirkby, pastor of the church, and a beautiful tribute was paid to the departed. The pastor was assisted by a quartette composed of La Forest Lincoln, T. H. Emerson, M. P. Garey and C. Will Bailey who gave the following selections: "Our days on earth are as a shadow," "I cannot always trace the way," and "Gathering Home." All that was mortal of Mrs. Sarah Dyer (French) Quinn lie at rest in Fairmount cemetery.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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George M. Hoyt, East Weymouth.
A. R. Dickinson, South Braintree.

CARD OF THANKS.

The members of the Ladies' Circle of Pilgrim Church extend their sincere thanks to all who so kindly assisted in making their fair of Jan. 23rd and 24th, so successful. To those who furnished entertainment special mention is due.

CLARA L. BEALS, Sec'y.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who in so many ways expressed their sympathy for us in our terrible affliction, also for the beautiful flowers.

CHESTER C. HOBART and family.

RED LETTER SALE.

AT THE BIG STORE. FOR ONE WEEK.

Commencing MONDAY, FEB. 5, we shall hold the greatest sale ever attempted by any store this side of Boston. It will be the grand wind-up of our Winter's business and we have cut prices with a lavish hand. Every day next week will be a Red Letter Day in our store. Remember these are not old shop-worn goods that we quote these ridiculous prices on, but new, clean, seasonable merchandise.

Prints. 5000 yards of best shirting prints, just the same as you always pay 5 cents for, Red Letter Price, **2 1-2c yd**

Cotton. 2500 yards of a standard 6 cent bleached cotton. Not over 10 yards to one customer. Red Letter Week, **4 1-2c yd**

Petticoats. 100 Fancy Percaline Petticoats, with wide ruffle and dust ruffle. A regular $1.00 skirt. Red Letter Price, **79c**

Black Satin. This is one of the few things a merchant never cuts the price on, but we shall break the rule for once and sell a heavy 24-inch Satin Duchess $1.25 quality, Red Letter Week for, **79c**

Outing Flannels. 1000 yards of Dark Outings in Grey, Blacks and Browns, etc. Our price has always been 7, 8 and 9 cents per yard on these goods. Red Letter Price, **5c yd**

Hamburgs. 1500 yards of Fine Hamburg edgings two, two and a half and three inches wide. Worth 8, 10 and 15 cents a yard. Red Letter Price, **5c yd**

Ladies' Hose. Fast Black and worth 15 cents, seamless foot and made of an extra quality elastic yarn. Fleece lined. Red Letter Price, **10c pair**

Dress Goods. One lot of heavy Black Crepon Effect novelty goods, 44 inches wide and always sold for 89 cents. We do not wish to carry these over to next season so they all go at less than cost. Red Letter Week, **59c**

Outing Flannel 1200 yards of white Domet Flannel, the same as we sell for 6 cents per yard, only this is subject to very slight imperfections. Red Letter Price, **3 1-2 c yd**

Torchon Lace. Hundreds of yards—different widths, but much of it 4 1-2 inches wide. Worth from 8 to 19 cents per yard. Red Letter Price, **5c yd**

Men's Hose. One lot of a fine brown woolen mixture, our regular price 2 pair for 25 cents. We are badly overstocked on these, so Red Letter Week, **4 pairs for 25c**

Wrappers One lot of beautiful Chinchilla cloth wrappers, were cheap at $1.49. Next week, Red Letter Price, **98c**

Ginghams 80 pieces of the very best Amoskeag Apron Ginghams, you know what you always pay for this quality. 8 cents a yard, Red Letter Week, **5c yd**

Corsets 200 pairs of the famous "Globe" brand, the standard price of these beautiful corsets is 50 cents, but for business reasons we are closing out this line, you can have them Red Letter Week for **39c**

Dress Goods Extra Heavy 40 inch Storm Serge in Black and Navy Blue, all wool and worth 69 cents a yard. Red Letter Price **39c yd**

Lace Curtains You can save about 33 per cent. by buying your Lace Curtains at this sale. We have marked 1000 Irish Points to $6.48. $5.00 ones $3.48. Scotch Laces from $3.98 to $2.50 and Nottinghams from $2.50 to $1.98. Two lots of Muslin Curtains at **79 and 89c**

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WANTED. People to know that it costs only 25 cents to make known their wants in this column.

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The monthly meeting of the directors of the South Shore Co-operative Bank will be held Monday Evening Feb. 5, at 7.30 o'clock, at Royal Arcanum Hall.
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Notice to Voters.

WEYMOUTH, Jan. 31, 1900.

Meetings of the Registrars of Voters for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualifications of persons claiming a right to vote at the election to be held on MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1900, will be held as follows:

PRECINCT 1 (Engine House), Friday, February 16, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 2 (Masonic Hall), Saturday, February 24, from 12 M. to 10 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 3 (Engine Hall), Friday, February 9, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M., and Wednesday, February 21, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 4 (Engine Hall, Nash's Corner), Tuesday, February 20, from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 5 (Engine House) Monday, February 5, and Friday, February 23, from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 6 (Engine Hall), Wednesday, February 7, and (G. A. R. Hall) Monday, February 19, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

Special Notice!

Registration WILL CLOSE on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24th, at 10 o'clock P. M.

The Registrars will be in session at MASONIC HALL, PRECINCT 2, on SATURDAY, Feb. 24, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

ACTS OF 1895. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE REGISTRATION OF VOTERS. Chap. 61. Section 2. Every male person moving into a city or town subsequently to the first day of May, and claiming the right to vote at an election and desiring to be registered by the registrars of voters, shall appear before the board of assessors, accompanied by two witnesses who shall testify under oath to the truth of the statement of the applicant in regard to his being a resident of the city or town for the six months next preceding the election at which he claims the right to vote. The assessors shall give the applicant a certificate stating that he has complied with the provisions of this section.

The Board of Assessors will be in session at the above meetings.

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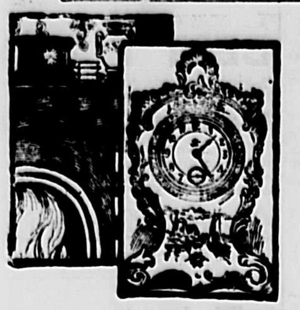

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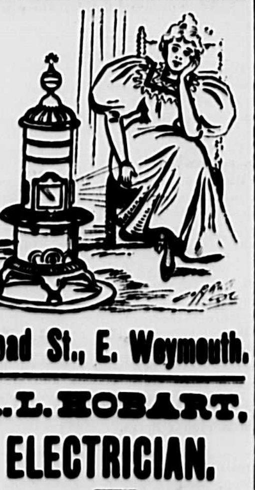

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WEYMOUTH and EAST BRAINTREE

—Walter Forsaith of Boston was the guest of friends in town over Sunday.

—Delta Lodge A. F. and A. M. held a special communication Tuesday evening and worked the Fellowcraft degree.

—Miss Eva B. Reed of Atlantic has been the guest of friends in town the past week.

—Received today! 100 pounds of those very fine old fashioned chocolate drops that are all the craze; 25c. at Harlow's.

—Paul Tidden of Wakefield, a former resident of this place, visited friends in town this week.

—Rev. and Mrs. F. K. Baker attended a reception given Wednesday evening by Dr. H. C. Sheldon of West Newton to the members of the graduating class of the Boston University School of Theology, of which class Mr. Baker is a member.

—Don't forget that toilet water, violet and crushed rose, 35c. per bottle at Harlow's.

—Miss Florence Hathaway is seriously ill at her home on Washington street.

—Percy F. Baker of this town has been engaged to take the baritone role in the operetta "Love In Whist" to be presented in Rockland soon.

—His many friends will be pleased to learn that Arthur Hunt is again able to be about after his recent severe illness.

—"The Purgatory of Protestants" will be the subject of Mr. Cressey's sermon at the Weymouth Baptist Church next Sunday evening, seven o'clock.

—A hot water bottle makes an awful good bedfellow, provided the hot water keeps in place. Harlow guarantees his bottles against any reasonable kicking. Only 75c.

—The exterior of the Washington Square waiting room has been ornamented with an attractive new sign.

—In addition to the services at Trinity Church next Sunday Rev. William Hyde will preach in Gardner street chapel, South Hingham at 2.45 p. m.

—A new fad for the shopping bag. A small hot water bottle, 50c. at Harlow's.

—The Choral Union held its last rehearsal at Pythian hall, Braintree, on Wednesday evening. The chorus will meet on Thursday evening at Braintree Town hall for the last rehearsal before the grand concert which will be held on Friday evening at the Town hall, Braintree.

—Arthur Blanchard met with an accident this week which may result in the loss of his eyesight. At present he is undergoing treatment at the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston.

Sunday School Reception.

The Sabbath School of the M. E. Church, East Braintree, is to give a reception to its members and friends Friday evening, Feb. 9th. An interesting programme will be furnished, followed by a social hour with refreshments. All former members of the school are invited to be present. Printed invitations are being distributed. Any person wishing to contribute a book toward helping to renew the library, may feel that their gift will be appreciated.

Surprise Party.

Friends to the number of fifty or more tendered Miss DeLena Bourke a surprise party at her home off Broad street last Friday evening. Music, games and a dainty collation made up the evening's entertainment.

Epworth League Anniversary.

The Epworth League and the Junior League of the M. E. Church are to observe their anniversary Sunday evening, Feb. 11th. A brief address or sermon will be delivered by a speaker from Boston, while the pastor will conduct the installation service.

Hurdy Gurdy Party.

The members of Division 6, A. O. H., are to hold a hurdy gurdy party in Clapp's hall the evening of Friday, February 9.

Union Literary Circle.

The Union Literary Circle met Tuesday evening, Jan. 23, with Miss Anna H. Tower. Miss Tower read a very interesting paper on "Results of the Crimean War." Miss Allyn in a very enjoyable paper compared Dickens, Thackery and Collins. Mrs. R. L. Hunt read a paper on "The open door in China. Miss Washburn read an interesting magazine article on the same subject. After these papers, the subject of the British Boer War being brought up, a very interesting discussion on this subject was in order; the principal participants in the discussion were Rev. William Hyde, Mr. Chamberlain and Rev. Frank B. Cressy. The next meeting will be held Monday evening, Feb. 5, with Mrs. J. G. Worster. Quotations on Egypt or the Canal. Members of the circle take notice of the change from Tuesday to Monday.

Interesting Evening Service.

A large and interested congregation attended the evening service at the M. E. Church Sunday evening and listened to an able discourse by Rev. F. K. Baker, entitled "Christ and the Poets." In this address the speaker showed to what extent Swinburne, Matthew Arnold and Sir Edwin Arnold agree in their representation of Christ and man's need of him. Mr. Baker has made a thoughtful study of the above-mentioned poets, the results of which he gave in his talk Sunday evening. One of the leading magazines of the day has asked to be allowed to publish the work, and it will probably appear at an early date.

"Cent Social."

A "Cent Social" was held at the Union Church parlors Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. of that church. The affair was well attended and a most enjoyable evening was passed.

Death of Former Resident.

Frederick W. Peterson, a former resident of this town, died at the Rockford, Illinois City Hospital January 26, death being due to heart failure and Bright's disease. The deceased was 48 years of age and leaves a mother, Caroline S. Peterson, and two brothers, M. H. Peterson and Arthur F. Peterson of this town. The remains will be brought East for interment.

Think of it!

Is it not possible that many a good woman has obtained a divorce from her legal lord because he has put his cold feet in the middle of her back instead of getting a nice hot water bottle that C. D. Harlow sells for 75c. and warranted for one year. Hot water bottles are very cheap, and divorces very high. Have just received a large stock of the former.

Obituary.—Matthew Macauley.

Matthew Macauley, a well-known citizen of this town, passed away at his home on Washington street, Wednesday afternoon, after an illness of several weeks with heart trouble. The deceased was 67 years of age and was a veteran of the late Civil War, having served in the 12th Massachusetts Infantry. He is survived by a widow, two daughters, Mrs. G. D. Bullock and Miss Mildred Macauley, and two sons, George and William. The funeral services were held from his late residence at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. F. B. Cressey officiating.

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Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of all the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services, etc., as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the latest, on Thursday morning of each week—the day before publication. Unless copy is received each week no announcement will appear.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (North Weymouth). Rev. Thomas H. Vincent, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday school, 11.45 a. m. Endeavor meeting at 6.15 p. m. Vestry service at 7.30. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth) Frank B. Cressey, pastor. Lord's Day services: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Bible school at 12. Young people's meeting at 5.45 Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7.30 p. m. Morning sermon, "Discipleship." Evening sermon, "The Purgatory of Protestants" Bible school lesson, "The First Disciples of Jesus, John 1:35-46.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Preaching in the morning at 10.30 by Rev. Mr. Patterson of Tufts College. Sunday School at 12 m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. R. R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30. Sunday School 12. Evening service at 7 o'clock Thursday evening, 7.30. All are cordially invited.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. Frank E. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. Evening service at 7

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth) Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon and Holy Communion next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at 12 m. Evening service with sermon at 7.30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, (East Weymouth). Rev. A. W. Kingsley, pastor. Morning worship and preaching at 10.30. Sunday School at noon. Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7.00 p. m. Tuesday evenings, 7.45 p. m. prayer meetings. Thursday evenings 7.45, class meetings. Holy Communion, first Sunday in every month at 2.30 p. m.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. H. S. Snyder, pastor. Morning service 10.30. Sunday School 12. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited to attend these services. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Followers of Christ made Fishers of Men:" a special lesson for Christian Endeavorers.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth) Gospel temperance meeting at 5 p. m.

OLD SOUTH CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. H. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m., morning worship 11.45, Sunday school 6 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. 7 p. m., union service, preaching by Rev Edward Norton. Mr. Norton will also preach in the morning.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth) Service at 3.00 p. m. Rev. F. A. Poole will occupy the pulpit.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. Wm. Kirkby, pastor, Sunday School at 12.45. Preaching service at 2 p. m. Epworth League at 6.00. Social and Praise service at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Rev. J. B. Holland, assistant. Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

ZION'S HILL CHAPEL, (East Weymouth) Social service at 2 and 6.30 p. m.

FREE MISSION CHAPEL, (Nash). Sunday-school at 12 m. Preaching service at 1.30. Evening service at 7.30 p. m.

SECOND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth. Rev. L. W. Attwood, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday School, 12. Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth). Afternoon service 2.30. Preaching by Rev. Mr. Patterson of Tufts College. Sunday School at 1 p. m. Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth), Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. High Mass at 10.30 a. m. Vespers at 7.45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth). Rev. Francis A. Poole, pastor. Morning worship at 10.30 a. m. Sun. School at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Social service at 7. p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. (East Braintree.) Rev. F. K. Baker, pastor. Sunday services are held as follows: Morning service, 10.30. Sabbath School, 12 m. Junior League, 5.15 p. m. Epworth League, 6.15 p. m. Evening service, 7.15. Class meeting Tuesday, 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7.30 p. m. Subject of Sunday morning sermon, "Comfort for God's People." Subject of evening sermon, "A Double-Minded Man."

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We wish most sincerely to thank all the neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness and words of sympathy and comfort rendered to us during our recent bereavement, and for the beautiful floral offerings, all of which are fully appreciated and never forgotten.

JEREMIAH QUINN,
MRS. LUCINDA B. FRENCH and family.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of HANNAH M. CURTIS, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
CHARLES S. CURTIS, Adm.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate not already administered of FREEMAN CURTIS late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
CHARLES S. CURTIS, Adm. d. b. n.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Jan. 30, 1900. The Committee on Railroads will give a hearing to parties interested in petition with bill House, No. ..., ... of the Weymouth Light and Power Company ... the ... Railroad Company ... at 10 o'clock a. m., and to parties interested in resolve ... and Al... to parties ... operations. ... at room ... Clerk of the Committee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOHN P. LOVELL, late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased. Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court ... Probate Court ... Norfolk, on the twenty first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. ...
JONATHAN COBB, Register.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

—Miss Louise Reed has resigned her position with Derby & Thayer.

—Received today! 100 pounds of those very fine old fashioned chocolate drops that are all the craze; 25c. at Harlow's.

—A large delegation from Court Wessagussett, F. of A., attended the minstrel show given at Odd Fellows' Opera House Tuesday evening under the direction of Court Monatiquot of Weymouth.

—Don't forget that toilet water, violet and crushed rose, 25c. per bottle at Harlow's.

—Parker Thomas has taken a position D. Sullivan's grocery store.

—Mrs. Arthur Tirrell has been entertaining Miss Florence Saville of Rockland the past week.

—Miss Cushing is the new clerk at Derby & Thayer's.

—Henry Hayden of Wollaston Heights is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hayden of Nash.

—A hot water bottle makes an awful good bedfellow, provided the hot water keeps in place. Harlow guarantees his bottles against any reasonable kicking. Only 75c.

—Mr. and Mrs. Theron L. Tirrell welcomed a little daughter into their home, Tuesday.

—Alfred Stanton Tirrell attended the Union Veteran Firemen's ball held in Worcester last Friday evening.

—Miss Ruth Tower has been substituting at the Bates school the past week during the absence of Mrs. E. J. Smith, who is confined to the house by illness.

—A new fad for the shopping bag. A small hot water bottle, 50c. at Harlow's.

—Several of our citizens attended the lecture by Col. William J. Bryan in Mechanic's hall, Boston, Tuesday evening.

—Harlow's Cream Balm for sale at Nash's drug store.

Fin-de-Siecle Whist.

The members of the Fin-de-Siecle Whist Club were entertained by Mrs. Arthur Tirrell of Main street Monday evening. The honors were taken by Miss Craibe and Miss Helen Bass. The next meeting of the club will be held with Miss Craibe at her home on Pond Plain, Monday evening, February 12.

Sixth Anniversary.

The members of Pilgrim Circle No. 232 C. of F., are to observe their sixth anniversary with a whist party and dance at Music hall Wednesday evening next, February 7.

Novel Affair.

An innovation in the line of entertainments was the "Measure Party" held in the vestry of the Old South Church Wednesday evening. Those attending the affair were required to present to the society "a measure of anything" as, a quart of beans, a yard of ribbon, a pound of sugar, after which the above named articles were offered for sale and the proceeds given to the society. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were also on sale during the evening. An interesting musical programme was furnished as follows: Piano solo, Harry Alvord; solo, Mrs. Barnes; piano duet, Misses Raymond and Holbrook; measure entertainment, by seventeen young people; selection, Old South Quartette; solo, Fred Barnes. At the conclusion of the entertainment an old-fashioned spelling bee was in order, the words being taken from the Weymouth Gazette of Jan. 26. The affair was one of the most successful which the society has ever held, and it is hoped that more of the same nature may follow.

Twentieth Anniversary.

The members of Orion Commandery, Order of the Golden Cross, are to observe their twentieth anniversary the evening of Feb. 27. The event will be marked by addresses by members of the order and a banquet.

Former Resident Fatally Injured.

The following item taken from the Macon (Ga.) Telegraph may be of interest to some of our readers in this part of the town, as the subject was a former resident of this place: "Mr. A. F. Rice of Griswoldville, while returning from Macon recently, was thrown from his wagon and sustained internal injuries, which resulted in death."

Baker—Randall.

The marriage of Mr. Winfield Baker of this town and Miss Alice G. Randall of Weymouth occurred at the residence of Rev. L. W. Atwood, Wednesday evening.

Torrey—Raymond.

Mr. Herbert Torrey and Miss Emma Raymond were united in Marriage at the residence of Rev. F. E. Butler, Saturday evening.

Dancing Party.

Odd Fellows' Hall was the scene of a pretty party Friday evening last, when the members of the Columbian Fife and Drum Corps entertained a large number of friends at a dancing party. The floor was under the direction of George R. Sellers and an efficient corps of aids. Cushman's Orchestra furnished music, and dancing was enjoyed until 12 o'clock by about thirty-five couples.

Whist Party.

The members of Ladies' Auxiliary No. 1 held a well attended whist party in Clapp's hall last evening. The gentleman's prize, a hat brush, was taken by John McCarthy, while the ladies' prize, a ladies pocketbook, was won in a cut by Miss Kate Moynihan. Light refreshments were served during the evening.

Literary Club.

The regular meeting of the South Weymouth Literary Club was held in Music hall Tuesday evening. The subject was James Russell Lowell, and the programme was as follows:

Life of Lowell, Miss Catharine Hawes.
Lowell as Shown in his Writings, Mrs. H. B. Reed.
Reading, "To My Love," Miss Annie Nash.
Song, "The Fountain," Miss Townsend
Reading, "Present Crisis," Mr. Butler.
Reading, "Introduction" to Fable for Critics, Mr. Cook.
Reading, "Argyment" of Hosea Bigelow's speech at March Meetin', Miss Rockwood,
"Jonathan to John." (Illustrated in an entirely new and original manner. All rights reserved.)
Tableau with Reading, "Eleanor Making Macaroons."
"The Courtier."

The next meeting of the club will be held Tuesday Evening, February 13th The subject, Henry W. Longfellow.

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NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—Rev. M. S. Nash of Hanover preached at the Third Church Sunday.

—Mrs. A. W. Greene of Quincy has been visiting friends.

—Mrs. Chas. Q. Marion was the guest of friends at Wellesley last week.

—Mrs. W. D. Davis is visiting at Lowell.

—Miss Mary Turner of Norwell is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. David French.

—Miss Mary Delory was tendered a surprise party Wednesday evening at her home on Bridge street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Irving L. Shaw are home from a short tour.

—Solomon Ford is on the road to recovery.

—The Ladies' Pilgrim Church Circle met Wednesday evening.

—Rev. A. W. Kingsley delivered an interesting sermon Sunday evening at Pilgrim Church.

—The Century Club meets this evening in the Pilgrim Church parlors. The subject for debate, resolved, "That purchasing stock on margin should not be allowed" will be made the more interesting as a bill to that effect is before the New York Legislature.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lyman J. Peterson entertained the members of the Algonquin Club Saturday evening.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Drake entertained a large party of friends Wednsday evening.

—Carlton Tyler is ill with scarlet fever.

—Miss Helen Benson was pleasantly surprised Friday evening at her home on Curtis street by her friends. The evening was spent in games and a lunch.

—Harlow's Cream Balm for sale at Holden & Sladen's.

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Waglip—What is the difference between a modern manufacturing establishment and a clock?

Tulip—I can't see it.

Waglip—In a clock when the hands are busy the works strike; but in a factory when the works are busy the hands strike.—Jeweler's Weekly.

An Explanation.

Clara (coming in for a morning call)—Why, what a lot of letters ready to mail. Do you often have such a correspondence streak as this?

Ethel—No, I don't really; but you see Cash & Satin sent me a dollar's change this morning in postage stamps.—N. Y. World.

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32—River St. and Middle St.
34—Elm St. and Washington St.
35—West St. and Washington St.
36—Ash St. and Hollis Ave.
38—Washington St. opposite Monatiquot school.
41—Union St. and Middle St.
42—Union St. and Washington St.
43—Pearl St. and Washington St.
45—Pearl St. opposite Shoe Factory.
46—Hancock St., private, Hollingsworth.
47—Pond St., opp. A. O. Clark's house.
48—Franklin St. and Central Ave.
123—Corner Quincy Ave. and Allen St.
136—West St. and Mt. Vernon Ave.
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147—Town St. and Pond St.

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WEYMOUTH CENTER.

—The beautiful home of Eugene Carter, on Middle street, has finally reached completion, and Thursday last he moved in.

—Master Joseph White, while riding horseback last Friday afternoon, on Essex street, corner of Broad, was thrown, the horse shying at an electric car.

—Henry Schultz has moved his family to the house of C. A. Hamlin, Broad street.

—Mr. Kelley occupies the cottage house on Cain avenue, owned by Robert White.

—Three young men from this vicinity attended the Fife and Drum ball at South Weymouth last Friday night, and having lost the last car, were obliged to "tramp" home. The high winds and low temperature served them roughly, as one lost a hat, and each had an ear frozen. Moral.—Don't lose the car.

—James T. Lawrence was in town the past week, visiting old acquaintances.

—The schoolhouse at Gloucester that has just been completed by Contractor G. M. Pratt, was dedicated yesterday.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of

SUSAN M. YOUNG,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, John A. Raymond, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

43 45 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of

CATHERINE COHAN,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said Court for probate, by Thomas Hennessey of Boston, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on the fourteenth day of February, A.D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this tenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

42-44 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of

GEORGE BATES,

late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, John A. Raymond, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentyfourth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

43-45 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. Probate Court.

TO the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JOHN P. LOVELL,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, testate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration with the will annexed, on the estate of said deceased not already administered, to George L. Wentworth of Weymouth, or some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in Weymouth, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all devisees and legatees named in said will, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

44-46 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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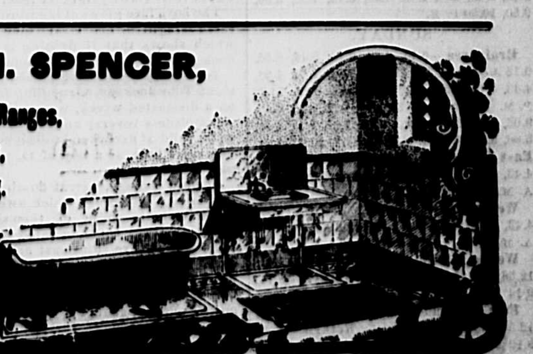

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WEEK-DAY TRAINS

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East Braintree.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.21, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50, 11.50 A. M.; 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.50, 6.50, 7.59, 8.59, 9.59, 10.59 P. M.

Weymouth.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.19, 7.18, 7.48, 8.18, 8.48, 9.48, 10.48, 11.48 A. M.; 12.48, 1.48, 2.48, 3.48, 4.48, 5.48, 6.48, 7.57, 8.57, 9.57, 10.57 P. M.

Weymouth He'ghts.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.15, 7.14, 7.44, 8.14, 8.44, 9.44, 10.44, 11.44 A. M.; 12.44, 1.44, 2.44, 3.44, 4.44, 5.44, 6.44, 7.54, 8.54, 9.54, 10.54 P. M.

East Weymouth.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.12, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M.; 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 7.50, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

SUNDAY.

Braintree.—6.16, 6.28, 6.43, 8.46, 8.58, 9.13 A. M.; 12.31, 12.43, 12.58, 4.16, 4.28, 4.43, 5,16, 5.28, 5.43, 6.46, 6.58, 8.28, 10.28 P. M. **Return.**—7.36, 7.40, 8.28, 8.36, 8.40, 9.06, 9.28, 9.40 A. M.; 1.13, 1.21, 1.25, 4.58, 5.06, 5.10, 6.58, 7.06, 7.10, 8.02, 10.02 P. M.

East Braintree.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.20, 9.20 A. M.; 1.05, 4.50, 6.50, 7.59 P. M.

Weymouth.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.18, 9.18 A. M.; 1.03, 4.48, 6.48, 7.57 P. M.

Weymouth Heights.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.14, 9.14 A. M.; 12.59, 4.44, 6.44, 7.54 P. M.

East Weymouth.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.10, 9.10 A. M.; 12.55, 4.40, 6.40, 7.50 P. M.

POWER.

Have you seen the locomotive as she struggles up the slope,
Panting, blowing, shrieking onward, like a traveler spurred by hope,
Onward, upward, ever pressing, like a being with a soul?
But the power that propels her is a shovelful of coal.

Till, at last, she's reached the summit, then adown the hillside flies,
Where another mighty mountain starts its journey to the skies;
Now no effort, swiftly downward, gently o'er each grassy knoll,
Still she now and then is calling for a shovelful of coal.

So in life we upward journey, up life's troublesome ascent,
To the Mecca we are seeking, earnestly our feet are bent,
But the journey would be lighter; sooner we would reach the goal,
If, as fiercely onward pressing, we would shovel in the coal.

True, some early struggle upward, till they reach the mountain height,
Then, perhaps, lie idly waiting where the journey is more light;
Till again they reach the bottom, but the fellow on the roll
Of the mighty is the fellow who keeps shoveling the coal.

—Omaha World-Herald.

Admiral Blake Among the Pirates

A Page from the History of Tunis.

By David Ker.

"THERE," said my French companion, pointing southward over the smooth, bright water, as we glided into the Bay of Tunis under the splendor of the African sunrise—"there is the place where a battle was fought which you Englishmen ought all to know by heart."

"Admiral Blake's attack on Goletta, you mean?"

"Just so. Yonder, where that sandbank juts out, stood the five forts that defended the place, and the pirate ships were moored just behind them, in that little bay. Not much sign of all that now, is there?"

Indeed it was not easy to call up any thought of battle amid the untroubled stillness and repose of that glorious landscape. Far along the eastern sky the great purple mountains stood out in endless range, crowned with the two-peaked summit of the mighty Hamet-El-Lif.

Through the deep, narrow gorges that cleft the huge mountain-wall every here and there the first rays of sunrise were just streaming across the vast expanse of blue, sparkling sea that stretched away to the north far as the eye could reach, with a few tiny white sails dotted over it like wreaths of foam.

Along the western shore of the bay extended a line of low, green hills, upon the crest of which a mass of crumbling masonry marked the spot where the ancient citadel of Carthage had fallen before Scipio and his Romans.

Just at the nearer extremity of the broad yellow sand-bar that spanned the whole breadth of the deep blue bay nestled the dainty little town of Goletta, and on the opposite hillside lay, like a drift of snow, the countless white houses, and crumbling walls, and tall minarets, and clustering palm trees of imperial Tunis.

But despite the perfect peace of the spot which once witnessed the finest battle fought there since the fall of Carthage, the memory of that day's work will never die while one man of Anglo-Saxon blood remains to keep alive the instinct of courage and fair play, and standing up against the strong in behalf of the weak.

It is well worth while for anyone, however he may hate war and bloodshed in general, to look back and see what was done here on a certain fine spring morning, two centuries ago.

It is the 3d of April, 1653, and the whole city of Tunis is in an uproar. Wild faces, livid with fear or black with rage, crowd the narrow, winding, gloomy streets, which echo with the clamor of countless tongues, the tramp of feet, the clatter of horse-hoofs and the rumble of artillery-wheels.

Hundreds of swarthy figures, sword in belt and match-lock on shoulder, are swarming over the decks of the nine huge war-galleys which lie moored close under the forts of Goletta.

In the forts themselves crowds of men are hard at work running out heavy guns, piling up cannon-balls, filling powder-chests, or laying sandbags along the ramparts as an additional shelter; and all eyes are turned watchfully toward the entrance of the bay, and the five great line-of-battle ships that are gliding into it, with the black mouths of loaded cannon gaping hungrily through their open ports, and the red cross of England—not yet altered into the union jack—fluttered jauntily at the mizzen.

High on the poop of the English flagship stands a tall, handsome man, in the uniform of a British admiral. His fine face is perfectly calm, but a close observer would notice that he wears the same set, stern look that it wore when he held Tauntontown years ago, against the bravest of Charles I.'s cavaliers.

In truth a hard fight against overwhelming odds is nothing new to Robert Blake, the worthy forerunner of Rodney and Nelson; and the cause in which he is to fight to-day might well nerve any man to do his best. Yonder, behind those batteries that frown upon him from behind the shore, are thousands of Christian captives—many of them Englishmen like himself—chained, ragged, half-starved, blistered by the scorching sun, and seamed with the scars of whip and branding iron. And now, after years of hideous bondage among brutal pirates, which have made the memory of home and friends, and the hope of one day returning to them, seem dim and distant as half-forgotten dreams, their weary eyes see once more the waving of English flags over a fleet coming to their rescue.

Well may the haggard faces brighten, despite the curses and blows of their savage taskmasters. When Admiral Blake came here three weeks ago with a demand for the "surrender of all Christian captives," and sailed away again with no answer save an insolent defiance from the bey of Tunis and his pirate chiefs, there was many a heavy heart among the prisoners. But to day he is here again, no longer to threaten, but to do; and the message which he brings this time is one which Tunis will long remember.

"Don't thee be troubled, lad," says one of the admiral's crew to a curly-haired boy who is looking wistfully toward the shore. "We'll get thy father out of their claws yet, never fear!"

The boys face glows at the words, and there is fight in his clear blue eyes which shows that if fighting is to be done to-day he will not be hindmost.

Ten weary years have passed since stout Tom Jackson, struggling for life on a dismasted wreck, was seized by these pitiless rovers; and the son, who was a child of five when he disappeared, had come back as a boy of 15, to take part in his rescue.

Onward come the great floating castles, in a grim silence which awes the fierce Arabs in spite of themselves. Suddenly there comes a rattle and a splash, as all five ships cast anchor at once. Then a boat is seen gliding shoreward from the admiral's vessel with a flag of truce to give the over-confident pirates one last chance to surrender before it is too late.

But instantly there comes a puff of white smoke from the nearest port, and heavy shot splashing up the water close to the boat's bow, showing what an answer the message of mercy has to expect.

Then Blake's face is seen to darken ominously, and with his wonted tug of repressed anger at the point of his long, black whiskers, he gives the word to open fire. Then up through the still air rises the stern cadence of the old Puritan battle-psalm, to the sound of which Cromwell's Ironsides had swept the best of the royalist soldiers from many a hard-fought field.

"God is our refuge and our strength,
In straits a present aid;
Therefore, although the earth be moved,
We will not be afraid.

"Though hills amid the sea be cast,
Though waters roaring make
And troubled be; yea, though the hills
By swelling seas do shake."

Instantly sea and shore and sky were wrapped in one thick gust of hot, stifling smoke, while the warlike music was drowned by the roar of 500 cannon.

Fire, smoke, yells, groans, curses, pelting shot, crashing timbers, falling stones, deafening cannon-thunder, all at once.

Far away in the desert the wandering Arab stopped to listen to the dull booming of the distant cannonade, and trembled as he heard it.

Men with powder-blackened faces fired at random into the cloud of sulphurous smoke that veiled alike ships and forts, broken only by the sudden flashes that brought death along with them. Masts and yards came crashing down on one side, stones and mortar on the other; and still the smoke billowed, and still the cannon roared.

But although the Arabs fought as fiercely as men could do, the dogged, unslackening steadiness of the English fire at length began to tell.

The fort which had fired upon the flag of truce was fast crumbling into a shapeless ruin. Five guns had been dismounted in the second fort, and three more were standing idle, with all their gunners lying dead around them.

In vain the Tunisians yelled and fired and struggled and shook their swords at the death-dealing ships, and lashed their prisoners forward to repair the shattered breastwork. Slowly but surely the battle was going against them more and more.

Suddenly a curl of smoke was seen to rise from one of the pirate's galleys. The Arabs rushed like madmen to quench the fire, but in vain. The smoke reddened into flame, while fresh spouts of fire broke from galley after galley, till the while pirate fleet was one red and roaring blaze.

Then the enemy began to lose heart altogether. As their fire slackened, that of the British redoubled, and the cheers of the sturdy blue-jackets were heard, even through the thunder of the bombardment.

"Hurrah for old England!" shouted a gray-haired prisoner in the nearest battery.

"Silence, dog!" roared a ferocious Arab, striking him savagely across the face.

That blow was an unlucky one for the striker. One swing of the iron bar with which the Englishman was working felled the Arab dead on the spot, and the next moment came a splash in the water, a shout from the flagship, and in a few minutes more the long-lost Tom Jackson was being hauled on board of her by his own son, amid a burst of cheering that seemed to split the very sky.

Half an hour later all was over. The pirate prince, as abjectly mean now as he had been boastfully insolent before, sent to beg for mercy, and to promise the surrender of all his prisoners.

The next morning Blake sailed out again with the rescued captives, leaving the defeated corsairs to recover their courage by slow degrees, and to bring down upon themselves by fresh misdeeds a still more terrible punishment.—Golden Days.

How Long?

Miss N. Ewsy—I see that the papers say Mrs. Weeds and the captain are to be married as soon as her period of mourning is over.

Miss De Witte—Period, indeed! With most of these widows their periods seem to be merely question marks!—Puck.

ECONOMY OF FUEL.

The Range Should First of All Be in Perfect Order—How to Put on Coal.

To kindle any fire small sticks should be laid across each other, basket fashion, with paper below. See that the drafts and dampers are all open, the upper front check closed, and apply the match before a bit of coal is put upon the wood. When it has begun to burn well, put on one shovelful, allowing the air to pass through unchecked so as to kindle that. In a short time more may be added, then more, and when the coal begins to glow red shut one draft, then another.

Turn out of doors the first person who dares to dream of using kerosene to help start a fire, and severely admonish her who persists in filling the firebox to the top of stove or range. That is the way to burn out or crack the stove and to destroy the firebrick. Besides, it chokes the draft, causing less heat to be given out. A hot fire is a clear fire, with the draft coming unchecked through the bottom damper. The persons who boil their tea are the same that fill the range as full as it will hold, and when it fails, as it then must, to give out the needed heat, take off the cover and punch and poke it down from above, thus crowding the coal into a still more compact mass. Such a housekeeper has her range speedily filled with clinkers and wastes much fuel.

A neglected range implies ignorance and indifference. How many there are who complain of a poor oven, yet allow soot to accumulate above and below it, no census has estimated. Neglect means poor cooking and waste. Clinkers, too, should be watched for in the firebox and broken off as soon as they appear. It is a too common fashion to fill the range, leave the dampers all open, and let the fire burn as it will till reduced to debris. Then dump in more coal and throw in some kindlings first and continue as before. On the contrary, the fire should be watched and a little coal added at a time, with the dampers only opened before meal time. In this way alone can a good fire be economically maintained. For a young housekeeper it is needful to note these things. Otherwise the ashes will be half coal, to the detriment of the household exchequer.—Boston Budget.

Tapioca Cream.

Soak over night six tablespoonfuls of pearl tapioca, and in the morning stir into one quart of boiling milk; boil until clear (about an hour), then add the yolks of four eggs and one-half cupful of sugar, and boil ten minutes longer. When cool, flavor with one teaspoonful of vanilla and pour into a glass dish. Before serving beat the whites of eggs and add one-half pint of cream which has been previously whipped and two tablespoonfuls of fine sugar. Pour over the top.—Housekeeping.

History Repeating Itself.

Assistant Rector (with self-complacent conceit)—Aw-m—I did prety well in my address to-day, didn't I, deacon?

Deacon Judkins (who is not a special admirer of the rector's assistant, cautiously)—Waal—er—I must say it reminded me of suthin' similar I've read in the Scripter.

Assistant Rector—You probably refer to Paul preaching at Mar's Hill.

Deacon Judkins—Not exactly; what I was thinkin' of was the time Balaam's assistant spoke.—N. Y. World.

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HEARD AND READ.

Being a collection of pencillings and scissorings by our editors.

Until 1822 girls had been allowed to attend the public schools in Boston only during the summer months, when there were not boys enough to fill them.

Some one once sent to Eugene Field a poem entitled, "Why Do I Live?" Field sent back reply, "Because you send your verses by mail."

One advantage about hay fever is, as long as you have it you cannot get into any other devilment.

The following letter was lately sent to a Sheffield schoolmaster:—"Dear Sir: Please excuse my boy a scratching hisself. He's got a new flannel shirt on."

Education bereft of religion cannot bring forth morality, is destructive and pernicious to society; education without religion is dangerous to the nation, for numbing its vitals, it will eventually cause its annihilation.

People who advocate dropping the letters "ue" from all words ending with them will be stuck when they tackle the word glue.—Lynn Item.

Chicago Times-Herald—Wifely constancy—"I have been married for 15 years, and my wife never fails to meet me at the door." "Wonderful!" "Yes; she's afraid I might go in without wiping my feet."

"Our motto," said the head waiter, as he marshaled his forces ere the victim got away, "is to welcome the coming and bleed the parting guest."

"Jimmy and our preacher collided on their wheels."
"Is Jimmy hurt?"
"Yes; he heard what the preacher said."

"Get out!" commanded her father. "Don't let me ever see you here again."
"Very well," replied the confinent young man. "Your daughter can tell you the nights I am to call, and you can arrange to be out until I leave."

"Personally, we are acquainted with the 'white man's burden,'" Papa Hampton, of the Kingston (Mo.) Mercury, confidingly informs his readers. "Its average weight is about 10 pounds, but it gets heavier about 2 o'clock a. m."

Chicago Tribune—Bother enough—The red-nosed vagrant stopped the preoccupied citizen at the street corner. "Beg pardon, sir," he said, "but may I ask—" "You may ask if you want to," interrupted the preoccupied citizen, "but I can't tell you. I don't know when the blamed century begins." And he hurried on.

"Mrs. Crowder has been president of your club a long time."
"Yes: none of us could call her to order, so we decided we might as well let her regulate the rest of us."—Chicago Record.

Life Insurance Agent (filling out application)—Your general health is good, is it not?
Applicant—Never had a sick day in my life.
Agent—Um! You do not contemplate entering upon any hazardous undertaking, I suppose?
Applicant—Well, yes, I am afraid I do. I am going to get married next Wednesday.—(London Answers.)

A visitor to Moscow soon discovers why it is called the Holy City. Every 200 or 300 feet there is a cathedral, church, chapel or shrine, and whichever way you look you see people crossing themselves. Until one has seen Moscow the piety of the place is not easily understood.

HUNTING FOR NEW WRITERS.

A Magazine Finds but 80 Worthy Manuscripts out of 8,000 Read in a Year.

Eight thousand manuscripts were received by The Ladies' Home Journal during the year just closed. Each was given a careful reading, but out of the entire number only eighty were found worthy of publication. The Manuscript Bureau of The Ladies' Home Journal is operated at a large expense, but the hope of discovering new writers or some aspirants with undeveloped talent warrants the outlay. It can be seen that the articles secured by such a careful 'winnowing process brings the cost of each up to and above the remuneration paid our best writers.

These facts bring refutation to the oft-repeated but none the less erroneous assertion that only well-known writers of established literary reputation are able to find a place for their work in the magazines. Exactly the contrary is true. The Ladies' Home Journal, through the manuscripts considered, has discovered three or four new writers of excellent merit and great promise, and this "find" its editor regards as fully warranting the large outlay of maintaining an expensive bureau for reading all the manuscripts submitted.

Household Hints.

If there is one thing on which the house-wife prides herself, it is that of having her laundering done nicely, so that the wearing apparel may be the admiration of all. The washing is a small matter, anyone almost can do that, but to have the linens present that flexible and glossy appearance after being ironed requires a fine quality of starch.

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GERMAN BLONDES.

They Form the Largest Per Cent. of the Types of Germany's Population.

The German Anthropological society has been engaged in recent years in collecting statistics relative to the comparative frequency of the blonde and brunette types and their distribution through the German empire.

The results are of interest as giving evidence of the original sources of the population in various sections. The observations were confined to school children, 6,000,000 of whom have been examined.

For purposes of classification only those that had blue eyes and fair hair and skin were counted as blondes, and those whose eyes, hair and skin were all dark, as brunettes.

All others (for example, children with dark eyes and light hair or with blue eyes and dark hair and skin) were put in a third or "mixed" class.

In the empire as a whole the blondes were found to number 31.8 per cent., the brunettes, 14 per cent., and the mixed types, 54.2 per cent In some districts the preponderance of the blonde element was much more marked—especially in a part of the Grand Duchy of Oldenburg, where there were only four per cent. of pure brunettes.

The effect of the brunette, Roman element was distinctly marked in the southern and southwestern parts of the empire. Near Worms and Speyer, indeed, one often sees faces which strongly suggest those of central Italy or Roman statues and paintings.

Yet streaks of blonde preponderance, apparently marking the paths of Germanic migration, were traced up to the Italian frontier.

IDEA TOO ORIGINAL.

The Mayor Suggested That the Town's Visitors Climb the New Standpipe for Entertainment.

In one of the towns of the upper peninsula they were preparing to entertain a delegation of eastern capitalists, many of them accompanied by wives and families, who were prospecting for investments in mining, railroad and other enterprises. At the meeting to make arrangements for the reception the new mayor presided. He had ideas of his own, says the Detroit Journal, and evidently thought that his official position entitled him to settle any disputed question. After several plans had been suggested, he took the floor.

"Gentlemen," said his honor, "what I insist upon is something original and something that these people will always recall as having happened right here. Our neighbors in the east dropped them a few thousand feet into a copper mine; our rival city to the north drove them six miles to see the water works; at that struggling little burg west of us they gave them a chance to blister their faces over the red sandstone quarries. We're no imitators. What I propose is that we let them climb, one at a time, to the top of that new standpipe of ours. They'll know we're up to date on our fire department and they'll get a splendid view of the surrounding country."

And it took the leading men of both parties to get the mayor's consent to another programme.

ORGANIST AN AUTOCRAT.

No One Must Dare to Criticise That Functionary's Part of the Church Service.

If there ever is any trouble in the congregation about the music, and if the minister ever worries himself, it is admitted at once that the congregation and the minister are alone to blame, writes Ian Maclaren in Ladies' Home Journal. But there are other difficulties, and they may be mentioned in a spirit of becoming humility. For one thing, the organist is an artist, and every artist has a nature of special refinement which cannot bear the rough-and-tumble ordinary methods of life. With a man of common clay you deal in a practical, straight-forward and even brutal fashion, arguing with him, complaining to him, and putting him right when he is wrong. But no man must handle precious porcelain in such fashion, or the artist will be instantly wounded and will resign and carry his pathetic story to every quarter, for, as a rule, the organist thinks that he is lifted above criticism and public opinion. It is impossible to teach him anything; it is an insult to suppose that anything could be better than the music he provides.

The Stellar Universe.

In Knowledge for November, Dr. Roberts gives a photograph of a new nebula, in the midst of which a dark sinuous vacancy, or rift, appears, "through which we can see into the starless vacancy of space beyond." Some of those who argue that space is finite hold that if it were infinite the infinitely distant stars in their aggregation would cover the face of the sky with light. This, however, assumes that stars are equally distributed throughout space, and such an assumption is contrary to all observable phenomena. Nothing warrants the idea that the infinity of space involves the assumption of its occupation by an infinite number of suns symmetrically arranged throughout it.

War Fund from Soap.

A firm of English soapmakers which gives a halfpenny to the Transvaal war fund for every cake of soap sold, has already sent in £1,000 to the fund?

Central American Pyramid Builders.

Barring the Egyptians, the ancient Mayas of Yucatan seem to have been the greatest pyramid builders the world ever saw.

His Alert Suspicion.

"Did you say the man who talks of coming to this place has money to burn?" said the citizen who had been complaining about the way things are run.

"Yes, sir; that's the phrase I used; 'money to burn.'"

"Well, we don't want him. I can see through him. He's one of these oppressors. He wants to burn all the money he can git his hands on, so's to make it scarce."—Washington Star.

Deductive Reasoning.

"I believe you have been secretly married to young Mr. Noodle!" cried the irate father.

"How ridiculous!" replied his daughter.

"Well," said her sire, "he used to come here at eight o'clock and stay till 11:30, and now he doesn't get here until nine o'clock and leaves at 10:15."—Philadelphia Press.

Fatuous.

"Harold," murmured the beautiful maiden, shyly, "am I the only girl you ever told you loved?"

"I will tell you the truth, dearest," answered the manly youth, leaning fondly over her. "You are not."

"I think you might have lied a little, Harold—for me," she said, turning tearfully away.—Chicago Tribune.

Wise Provisions of Nature.

"See how beautifully Nature provides for emergencies," remarked Mr. Frisbie. "Just before a big war there are always many more births of boys than of girls."

"And see what large families there are in the feud districts of Kentucky," added Mr. Dinsmore.—N. Y. World.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of
SUSAN M. YOUNG,
late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, John A. Raymond, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in Weymouth, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
43 45 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the estate of
GEORGE BATES,
late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, John A. Raymond, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, SS. Probate Court.

TO the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of
JOHN P. LOVELL,
late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, testate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration with the will annexed, on the estate of said deceased not already administered, to George L. Wentworth of Weymouth, or some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in Weymouth, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all devisees and legatees named in said will, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
44-46 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the trusts under the will of
JOHN P. LOVELL,
late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by George L. Wentworth of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, that he may be appointed trustee under the will of said deceased, which has been proven in said court.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
44 46 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate not already administered of FREEMAN CURTIS late of Weymouth in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

44-46 CHARLES S. CURTIS, Adm. d. b. n.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of HANNAH M. CURTIS, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

44 46 CHARLES S. CURTIS, Adm.

GENERAL NEWS.

Famine area in India is extending.

Schooner M. Innis wrecked and seven perish.

Gov. Roosevelt to fight the trusts of New York.

Stinson's bank, Hamilton, Ont., suspended.

Maine railroads tied up by a severe snow storm.

W. H. Gilder, a noted Arctic explorer, dies at Philadelphia.

Another effort made to seat Senator Quay of Pennsylvania.

Gov. Roosevelt of New York endorses Gov. Taylor of Kentucky.

Echo Mountain House at Passadena, Cal., burned, loss $100,000.

Tornado at Newfoundland causes heavy loss. Twenty houses wrecked.

M. Labori, Dreyfus counsel, will lecture in the United States next season.

New cotton mill at West Petersboro, N. H., dedicated last Friday night.

Fire in the Casino, New York, causes a panic. Fortunately no one was injured.

Fight between Mexicans and Vaquis Indians results in heavy loss to both sides.

Ada Manness 27, of Providence, R. I., found dead in her room; cause, escape of gas.

War between machinists and employers in Brockton over a nine-hour a day contest.

Strike of shavers at the works of the American Hide & Leather works at Lowell.

$2,000,000 fire in St. Louis on Sunday. One fireman killed and nine others injured.

Plot to issue $200,000 of bogus Canada bank bills foiled by detectives at Baltimore.

The railroads of Connecticut carried 50,269,468 passengers in 1899 and no one was killed.

Waring factions at Philadelphia may send the Republican convention to some other place.

Dr. Heber Bishop of Boston, may accept an invitation to go to South Africa as a surgeon.

$5,000 raised in New Bedford for British widows and orphans of the South African war.

Abraham Elmer of Utica, N. Y., celebrated his 118th birthday on the 26th of January last.

Col. Bryan has had a good time in New England and is telling the people of other states about it.

Rev. Dr. Brady and the choir of Grace Methodist Church, Worcester disagree. Cause, lack of grace.

Fire in schoolhouse in Trenton, N. Y., 100 children jump from upper story window; many injured.

An equestrian statue of Gen. John Stark of Revolutionary fame to be erected at Manchester, N. H.

Hon. Arthur Sewell, of Bath, former candidate for vice president, cuts loose from Bryan democracy.

Sugar refining factories of Boston, New York and Philadelphia shut down on account of overproduction.

A lively contest for the first position in the G. A. R. of the Commonwealth is a thing of the near future.

Geo. H. Norman, a famous civil engineer, dies at Palm Beach, Fla., where he was spending the winter.

Mamomet life saving station to be abandoned and the people of Plymouth hold indignation meetings.

Philadelphia has a 19-year old murderer, his victim was a 12-year old neighbor who called him bad names

Police of Clinton take part in a cock fight on Sunday and capture fifty of the participants and spectators.

Phebe E. Young, an aged lady of 84 years of River Point, R. I., falls down stairs and is fatally injured.

The Paris exposition is near at hand but France objects to this country placing a woman in the commission.

There was an increase of over $2,000,000 in internal revenue receipts for the last December over that of December 1898.

A large number of candidates for Miss Susan B. Anthony's position as President of the National Womans' Suffrage Association.

Reuben Studley of Rockland celebrates his 88th birthday. For 58 years he has been actively engaged in the butchering business.

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New York G. A. R. men object to the invitation extended to Bryan to speak in their hall. They say "no politics in the G. A. R."

For the first time in its history Dr. Hale's church in Boston used water instead of wine at the holy communion service on Sunday.

Parents of colored children in Albany, N. Y., are contesting a rule of the school board which makes exclusive schools for colored children.

Platform at Golden Gate hall, Montpelier, Vt., gives way precipitating part of an audience into the room below; several injured, but none fatally.

Oliver Pike was supposed to have been buried at Delta, O., four years ago, but last week he showed up at that place and now the question is who was buried.

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Kinder blue!

A clear sky doesn't matter, fer it doesn't seem jes' right,
An' th' sun gits outer kilter in a-kinder murky light;
An' th' birds they jes' won't whistle th' songs they uster do,
An' th' world is one big desert
When a feller's
A feelin'
Kinder blue!

Plague on it! th' groc'ry store seems like a church t' you,
An' yer collar sets oneasy an' a-pinchin' goes yer shoe;
An' yer don't laugh at them stories jes' like yer uster do;
An' th' world is one big desert
When a feller's
A feelin'
Kinder blue!

Th' dog, too, mopes in sympathy, th' house seems like a barn,
Th' womin ain't no use fer you, they hev so much t' darn;
An' "Uncle Tom" an' "Topsy" is a torture to go through,
An' th' world is one big desert
When a feller's
A feelin'
Kinder blue!

By George, I think thet I shell go an' see thet Polly Gray,
Who allus seems so chipper with her laughter bright an' gay;
Perhaps she'll cheer me up a bit jes' like she uster do!
Fer there's nothin' like a woman
When a feller's
A feelin'
Kinder blue!

—Harold MacGrath, in Syracuse Herald.

A Lesson in Temperance

Smith Finds a Use for a Stuffed Rattlesnake.

ONE of his friends recently sent Smith, of Brooklyn, a fine specimen of the diamond-back rattlesnake. It was a dead rattlesnake, though it didn't look it; in fact, it was only the skin of the reptile with the head attached, but all the diabolism of the live creature was expressed in the thick, flat head with two glittering black pinheads doing duty for the eyes. It was really a very fine skin, and Smith thought with pleasure how well it would look on the wall of his study, but upon taking it home he found that his household regarded it with mingled emotions. When he appeared with it in his hands Mrs. Smith ramped around the room as if it were a mouse that was confronting her and threatened alternately hysterics and a return to the home of her ancestors. Bridget, the maid, who had come upstairs on the run upon hearing the excitement, retired via the front door to the middle of the street, where she informed an interested public that Mr. Smith had come home to dinner and brought the devil with him; while the family cat, after one casual glance at the deceased reptile, shinned up the back yard grape arbor in a perfect abandonment of horror, and spit till her whiskers whistled.

"This snake's all right in its way," said Smith, "but I'd rather have my happy home, and it don't look as if the two were compatible. I'll give it house room for a day or two, and then present it to some bachelor apartment."

With some difficulty and after repeated assurances that the object of her terrors was quite dead, Smith persuaded Bridget to return to the house and her duties. Mrs. Smith was somewhat reconciled by learning that at any time the serpent could be turned into a handsome belt for herself, if she so desired, and consented to try it first as a wall ornament for a time. The cat refused to come back, but that night sat on the back fence and told all the other cats about it until the neighborhood quelled their comments and interjections with handy bric-a-brac.

Upon arriving at his office the next morning Smith found a note from his friend Bixby, setting forth a sad case, to-wit, himself. Bixby had recently returned from the arid south, whence he had brought a large fund of information regarding the noxious insect and reptilian life of the region, a reputation for a leaning toward revolver practice, and an abounding thirst which all the strong waters in New York couldn't quench—he hadn't tried the other kind. Bixby wrote:

"Dear Smith: I've been going it for the last week or year or something. Been trying to put the Raines law out of business by drinking all the booze before Sunday. I'm pretty much on the aboriginal bum in consequence. They haven't got me yet, but I saw one of 'em last night. It had long, pink, wriggly ears and I thought it was an eel till I saw the hoofs on it. It's been hovering around all this morning and I've been trying to chase it with ammonia cocktails, for I know if it ever gets near enough to say 'Tag,' I'm it. If you've got room in your place for a head like a barrel I wish you'd take me to Brooklyn to-night. I need a change of air. Oh, my boy; I've been on a toot that would make the Angel Gabriel's trumpet feel like a busted penny whistle. I'll be at your office at five, with or without assistance, as the case may be. Yours hurriedly, BIXBY."

At the appointed hour Bixby arrived in a cab, and when he saw him Smith sent word home to Mrs. Smith that she had better invent and accept an invitation to dine and spend the night at her aunt's. Not that Bixby was intoxicated. He was sober and sorry for it. After dinner, Smith judged, there might be trouble. Upon their arrival he explained Mrs. Smith's absence and Bixby suggested cocktails as a starter before dinner. His friend persuaded him to tackle the bathtub instead of a bracer, and after a cold bath and some fresh clothes Bixby said he thought he could eat something, with a little help. All the help that Smith allowed him was one long whisky and seltzer, whereupon Bixby looked unutterable reproach at the dispenser of sparse hospitality, but was too polite to protest. After dinner Bixby was nervous. Smith suggested club. They went. One game of billiards there showed up Bixby's condition in its true light. He tore two holes in the cloth and nearly put out the marker's eye in trying to score three on the play. Then he demanded drink not loudly, but so fervently that his host knew there was nothing else for it. An hour passed and Bixby was feeling better, at least he said he was. Smith got him to start home and suggested dropping in to see a doctor on the way. Bixby snorted at the mention of a doctor. He didn't want to see any doctor; what he wanted to see was a bartender. Off he went in search of one, and Smith had to follow. By the time they got home Smith was mad and his guest was apparently happy, but behind that happiness was a strain of anxiety evinced by sundry furtive glances which he cast around him, and in the front hall he embraced the stairpost with tears, confiding to it that it was his only salvation against a hungry horde of gigantic germs which were, even then, camped upon his trail. By urgent insistence Smith made him drink large quantities of water, and presently put him to bed, secure that nothing worse than a very bad head would be the result of that evening's indulgence. But he saw, too, that it was only a question of a short time before his friend would go to pieces if a stop weren't put to his course, and he sat down and meditated deeply upon the subject. Suddenly his recently acquired rattlesnake projected its wicked head and shining eyes into his thoughts and he slapped his thigh as does a man when he hits upon a happy thought or a mosquito.

"By thunder, I'll do it," he cried. "It'll scare seven kinds of moonlight, sunlight and starlight out of him, but it'll serve him right and it'll cure him, too, if anything will."

Even then Bixby was snoring with that thick, sticky snore that means "dead to the world," in the room adjoining Smith's and connected with it through a double washroom. Above the head of the sleeper were two pulleys fastened to the ceiling, formerly used for the manipulation of a mosquito net. To rig up a tackle of fine but strong thread on these pulleys took Smith less than five minutes, and he worked with perfect security that nothing could awake his guest, who didn't so much as stir or groan when Smith stepped on his chest. A few minutes' work with the rattlesnake and a needle followed, and then the reptile, fastened head and tail, rose and soared above the bed of the sleeper. Smith ran the thread into the washroom, made the snake fast to the ceiling and went to bed, knowing that he would wake up before his guest. The last thing he heard that night was the snoring of Bixby; it was still going on, though in a higher key when he awoke in the morning.

All the probabilities were that the guest would sleep heavily for an hour more at least, so Smith had breakfast alone and leisurely and then went upstairs with a large pitcher of ice and a siphon of seltzer to call Bixby. It was something of a job to arouse that gentleman, but he finally responded to Smith's knocks in a drawling snarl. It would take him some time, Smith knew, to get his eyes open, so the host slipped around to his tackle and waited. To his great disappointment Bixby snoozed again. There was an alarm clock in the room. Smith went quietly in and set it, and in three minutes its buzz was whirring in the sleeper's ears. Pawing the air and with his features twisted into an expression of extreme disgust, he fought against it for a moment; then he opened his eyes and looked straight up at a flying serpent which gently wiggled its tail at him. What Smith rather expected was that he would then leap from the bed with a shriek and rush out, but it didn't happen so. For a second Bixby contemplated the prodigy with checked breath, then shut his eyes slowly and rubbed them gently inward. Watching him from the crack of the door, Smith could see what a struggle it was for him to open his eyes again, but he did it, and this time his head gave a jerk. Smith trembled a little with excitement and the snake jiggled. There was a catch in Bixby's throat both visible and audible, and he swallowed painfully. Then came his voice in a whisper:

"I know what you are. I saw you that last night before I left the plantation, only you had wings then and now you fly without them. But I know you; you're nothing; you're not there at all, and when I wake up and get my head into cold water it'll be all right."

He shut his eyes again determinedly and lay quite still, but he was not asleep. His eyes were too tightly closed for that, as Smith could see by the little wrinkles around the corners, and many small beads came out on his forehead. Now when a man wakes in the morning and perspires suddenly it is not well with him. Only long and earnest devotion to the bottle will produce that effect. The heart of Smith, which had been growing pitiful within him, hardened again. The lesson should be complete. Bixby opened his eyes again after a period and beheld his old plantation acquaintance, minus the pinions, swinging gracefully to and fro. He tried to follow the motions with his head, but quickly gave that up, for the effect produced was that of a score of aerial serpents wheeling dizzily around in the center of a spinning universe, and his head reeled among waving pillows. He buried his face in the bedclothes and the smothered accents of his woe were barely audible to the listener.

"Oh, if I could only get out of this room! But I suppose there's more of 'em waiting for he in the hall. Where am I, anyway? I wonder if this is ward 19? I wouldn't mind if I could only look up and not see that thing. Oo-oo-ooh-h-h-h! I can see my finish, and it's worse than I thought it would be."

It might have been three minutes before Smith heard the sound of a long breath, the indrawn spirit of determination. The face of Bixby emerged from the clothes and froze with horror. Above his face and so near that the wind from it fanned his brow the vision of horror nodded its devilish head rapidly. Then began the real thing in a serpentine dance. Up soared the terror to the ceiling, only to swoop down again like a hawk. For a moment it hung swaying, then began to coil and writhe and wriggle and waggle and squirm and dart and glide and glidder until the flesh slid on Bixby's bones and the fibers of his soul writhed in imitation of the convolutions of the floating monstrosity. It occurred to Smith that the thing had gone about far enough and he let his hideous puppet come to rest and was thinking what to do next when he observed that Bixby was about to do something himself. Keeping his strained gaze fixed on the rattlesnake, the guest reached out and grasped his trousers, which lay on a chair within reach. He drew them toward him and fumbled in the pockets. Before Smith had time to comprehend what he was after there was a succession of deafening reports, and amid a cloud of smoke Smith could see the disintegrating particles of his snake fluttering down upon an empty bed. Bixby threw himself, yelling, upon the floor, and, casting his revolver from him, scrambled on all fours to the nearest door, which happened to be the one that sheltered Smith. Grabbing Smith by the knees, he proceeded to give a very fair imitation of a fit of hysterics. Smith seized the seltzer bottle and gave him the stream full in the face. It was not with that intention that he had brought it upstairs, but it answered admirably. Gasping and choking, Bixby came to his senses.

"Tell me it was; tell me it was," he brokenly besought Smith.

"Of course it was, old man," said Smith, perfectly comprehending the somewhat elliptical query. He knew what was filling Bixby's tortured mind to the very brim at that moment. "It was a stuffed snake that I had about the place."

"Thank God!" said the other, simply and fervently. "Whew! It was awful."

Shooting the rest of the seltzer into the pitcher of ice, Smith handed it to him, and he drank chokingly, shaking all over with the reaction of the relief. Smith wondered why his friend wasn't furiously angry at the trick that had been played on him, and felt himself somewhat conscience-stricken, but determined to make the best of the occasion.

"It might not have been real, Bix," he said.

Bixby groaned.

"You'd never have known the difference," said his host.

Bixby groaned again and pressed some ice against his head.

"What are you going to do about it?" asked the persistent Smith.

"Eh?" said Bixby, dully. "Do? Oh, my head! You're sure that thing was there, Smithy? You aren't fooling me? I wouldn't look into that room for a thousand."

"Oh, it was there," Smith assured him. "I fixed it myself while you were dead to the world. But don't you think it's time you whistled down brakes on this gay career?"

"Smith," said Bixby, after a long pause, "I'll buy you a new snake. You give me that one as soon as I feel well enough to stand its company. Did you teach it to fly yourself? I-I-I-I-mean-I guess I'm not very steady yet. I want it as a memento to remind me of what it can do if a man goes too far, you know."

"You'll get it as soon as you prove that you are fit company for a sober and decent snake," said Smith.

"Don't you fear," said Bixby, solemnly. "This is the end. Three drinks per day after this is my limit. And that goes, too. That isn't the common or garden variety of next-morning-never-again. Bring me out my gun, old boy. I don't feel steady enough to go in there after it yet."

When Mrs. Smith got home, which was after Bixby had left, there were certain matters to be explained to her. First, there was the snake. Smith said the cat did it. Then there was the bullet-riddled ceiling; he couldn't say that the cat did that, but he explained that it must be the work of rats. Bridget had reported hearing shots fired. Smith said yes, that Bridget was undoubtedly right; he had heard them himself, and they seemed to be very near at hand. Mrs. Smith doesn't tell all she knows, or even all she believes, and Smith appreciates this spirit. She now enjoys the possession of a handsome snakeskin purse and a cardcase to match. Bixby has the rattlesnake, cleverly put together by a taxidermist, mounted on a panel in his room. Everybody is satisfied except Bridget, who suspects that she ought not to stay in a house once perforated by the presence of a representative of the prince of darkness, and the cat, who never did come back.—N. Y. Sun.

She Didn't Recognize Him.

A parson who occasionally preaches in South London arrived to take the place of the vicar, who had been called away on account of some family bereavement, and found an old and rather asthmatic lady struggling up the steps which led to the front door. He courteously gave her his arm to assist her, and when they reached the top the dame asked him if he knew who was going to preach. "Mr. So-and-So," replied the parson, giving his own name." "O, dear me!" exclaimed the old lady, "help me down again, if you please. I'd rather listen to the groaning and creaking of a windmill than sit under him," and she prepared to descend. The parson gently assisted her downstairs, and sighfully remarked, as he bade her goodby: "I wouldn't go in either if I weren't the preacher."—London Telegraph.

A Warning to Young Men.

San Francisco girls have a new fad. They think boxing makes them beautiful, and all the fashionable maidens out there are learning how to use "the mitts." The Chicago Times-Herald warns slender young men who are looking for life partners to keep away from San Francisco.

Scaly Fellow.

There had been a robbery at the church while the funeral services were in progress, and the suspected person, a stranger, who had seemed deeply affected, got away.

"Can you describe him?" asked the detective.

"Yes," answered the victim. "He was carrying a small alligator grip and shedding large crocodile tears."—N. Y. World.

Not Necessary to Talk Much.

"You know," she said, "I am not much of a conversationalist."

This seemed to him the opportunity for which he had been waiting.

"Well," he returned, "if I do the preliminary talking your conversational ability will be sufficient to enable you to say 'Yes,' won't it?"

After all, in courtship there is nothing like getting your answer before you ask the question.—Chicago Post.

The Way of It.

He once was a bachelor gay;
Even now he is happy and free,
For he always can have his own way,
When his wife tells him what it shall be.
—Judge.

A Worthy Object.

The Daughter—Don't you think, mamma, it's running a great risk for me to refuse him the first time? He might not ask me again, and you know I mustn't let him go.

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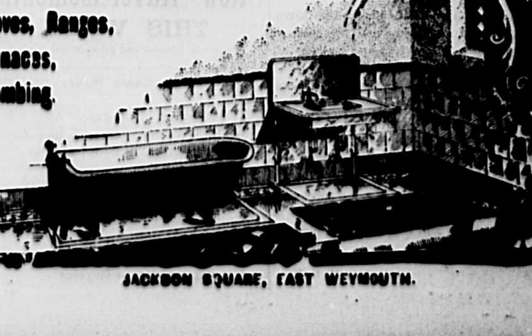

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FRIDAY, FEB. 9, 1900.

Representative J. B. Whelan has introduced a bill in the legislature for the widening and improving of the draw at the Quincy Point bridge. This is a matter of necessity in the near future, and is particularly wanted at a reasonably early date to facilitate the large and growing shipping interests of Weymouth and Braintree. The Fore River Engine Company has located on our river one of the most improved ship-building plants of the country. It is here to stay and to grow, and proper egress must be given to the sea for the numerous large and costly vessels that will be built here. The shores of our river are well adapted to wharves and shipping, and it is not stretching the imagination too far to picture miles of busy wharves on both sides of the river in the future, furnishing facilities to the many inland towns and cities lying back of us for commerce with the outside world. The shipping industry of the country will grow immensely in the future and it must be remembered that we have here one of the most important rivers and water-ways of the Massachusetts coast.

This bill will not be antagonistic to the one mentioned in this column last week as introduced by Representative Hunt but rather they will be likely to help each other, and our representatives will work together heartily to procure the success of both.

It is important that when the hearing occurs as many of our citizens as possible may be present to show the committee the determination and interest taken in the matter by our people and the importance attached to the passage of these bills.

A. W. B.

There is a fair prospect that the movement begun in Brookline to simplify the form of government of large towns may become a general law, but if there is any benefit to be derived from it for Weymouth, we have got to show a population of about 400 more than we did at the last census.

British engineers and officers are called upon to perform a hard feat in conducting the South African war. In order to be on an equal footing with the Boers in guns and marksmanship they must be about two miles nearer the enemy than the enemy is to them when they fight.

It is said the Bible trust or combination is to advance the price of Bibles twenty-five per cent. The advance will not have been in vain if at the same time the world is lifted twenty-five per cent. nearer "peace on earth good will to men."

Commissioner of Pensions Evans is not far from right when he asks Congress to revise the pension laws so they may be more just and equitable and at the same time be better understood.

According to the bulletin issued on the 7th for committee hearing at the State House, there were at that time 1030 measures waiting for committee hearings and legislative action. As there were then eight days more for new business, and often new business comes in under a suspension of rules after the time limit, it is probable the number of measures will be swollen to 1300 or more. As usual many of these bills are in the interest of Boston politicians, but they take time all the same, as Boston politicians win their laurels (?) at the State House. Many more of the bills will probably be disposed of with "no legislation necessary" by the committee. It might be a good idea and would materially reduce the number of unimportant bills and resolves introduced if every person was required to give a bond for the successful prosecution of his measure.

A New Town Officer.

Through the instrumentality of the Massachusetts Forestry Association Chapter 330 Acts of the General Court of 1899 became a law.

This law makes it obligatory upon every town to elect a tree warden at its annual town meeting. This warden is to have general supervision of all shade and ornamental trees on public ways and unless otherwise provided by park commissioners, all public parks.

Section 2 of the act provides that "towns may appropriate a sum of money, not exceeding 50 cents, for each of its ratable polls in the preceding year."

Section 3 provides that "whoever other than a tree warden desires the cutting, or removal in whole or in part of any tree, may apply to the tree warden."

The act is further very stringent as to the use of trees for advertising purposes, with heavy penalties attached for its violation.

Where towns are using the Australian ballot system the officer can be placed on the official ballot if the town shall so decide, but as no towns have taken action as yet in the matter for this year, the officer may be elected by acclamation or independent ballot.

This law is a good one and in this town can not be enforced too soon. There has been too much indiscriminate cutting of trees with no reference to beauty, ornament or usefulness. Again our streets are disfigured by the use of trees as bulletin boards by every itinerant vender of patent medicines and other goods and wares who came along with a load of handbills and posters.

As "a thing of beauty is a joy forever," let us see this law enforced and have a joy to ourselves and leave one to posterity.

M. E. H.

APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE.

Louis A. Cook wires us from Dedham, that he has this morning appointed the following to serve on the Committee on Appropriations, for the following year.

Edward W. Hunt,
John A. Holbrook,
Charles H. Bolles,
Michael Sheehy,
Martin E. Hawes,
Charles H. Kelly,
Charles B. Cushing,
Alonzo C. Pratt,
Walter R. Field,
Alvah Raymond,
Geo. H. Bicknell,
Henry A. Nash, Jr.,
William Nash,
Daniel W. Hart.

LADIES ENTERTAIN.

Members of Pilgrim Circle No. 232, C. of F., Observe Sixth Anniversary.

Music hall, South Weymouth, was the scene of much festivity Wednesday evening, the occasion being the celebration of the sixth anniversary of the birth of Pilgrim Circle No. 232, C. of F. The event was observed with a whist party and dance, which served to make the affair most enjoyable to those present.

Whist was indulged in until ten o'clock, about twenty tables being filled. The gentleman's prize, a handsome pack of cards, was awarded to Henry Nolan whose ticket showed twenty-seven punches. Miss Minnie Blanchard captured the ladies' prize, a pocketbook, and she also had twenty-seven points to her credit.

The floor was then cleared for dancing which was enjoyed until twelve o'clock by about forty couples. Cuff's Orchestra of South Braintree was in attendance and furnished excellent music.

The committee to whom the success of the affair is due was composed of the following members of the court and circle: Oscar Madden, Joseph Shannessey, Mrs. Thomas Roche, Mrs. Daniel Desmond, Miss Lizzie Leary and Miss Lizzie Moore.

Among those present were:
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roche
" " " Levi Stetson
" " " George Mansfield
Mrs. Daniel Desmond
Mrs. Sarah Riley
Miss Mary Reidy
" Margaret Madden
" Lizzie Leary
" Alice Leary
" Kate Moynihan
" Annie Gilligan
" Nellie Gardner
" Margaret Flynn
" Julia Melville
" Lillian Sullivan
" Lizzie Moore
" Annie Leary
" Alice Welch
" Minnie Halloran
" Lillian Halloran
" Julia Hogan
" Margaret Purcell
" Nellie Purcell
" Minnie Blanchard
" Alice Griffin
" Kate Cleary
" Margaret Cleary
" Elizabeth Curley
" Julia Cockrane
" Loretta Powers
" Mary Roche
" Grace Phillips
" Mary Purcell
Parker Thomas
Henry Nolan
Joseph Shannessey
Richard Halloran
William Wayland
George Wayland
Wallace Vining
Charles Phillips
George Keefe
William Melville
Richard O'Connell
Edward Welsh
Arthur Clavin
Peter Healey
James Melville
George O'Rourke
Patrick Welsh
William Staples
Joseph Madden
Walter Belcher
Joshua Gibbs
John Clavin
Edward Brady
William O'Connell
Michael Sullivan
Oscar Madden

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

By invitation of Miss Pinkham Miss Vickery of Weymouth afforded the geology class a very pleasant hour with the microscope, Friday. With the aid of the two microscopes belonging to the school, and of one which Miss Vickery kindly brought with her, the class was able to see a large number of the slides she has prepared for the illustration of geological features, and to learn very much of what the microscope reveals to the geologist, and of the way in which it is used.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects the management of the paper distinctly disclaiming all responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

That Sign Board.

By an accident Wednesday, the sign board in Washington square was rendered even more unsightly than before, and the conundrum now is, How long will it be allowed to remain in this shape?

H. W. C.

Where is its Value?

Those of our citizens who are interested in the wellfare of the town, are at present trying to ferret out the use, or value of the fountain, or the affair which is supposed to serve as such, which is located in Lincoln square. It has not been in "running" order for some time past, and as it is by no means a thing of beauty, nor in any manner an ornament to that part of the town, it seems that it would be a good scheme either to put it in a condition to be of some value, or to remove it altogether.

However, the necessity of a fountain in that locality is plainly evident, and the first mentioned plan would appear to be the most laudable.

H. W. C.

New Advertisements THIS WEEK.

Matters of interest and profit to our readers.

Quincy Department Store, red letter sale.
A. D. Wilbur, silverware.
W. F. Sylvester, Columbia bicycles.
Henry L. Kincaide & Co., carpets.
Weymouth Selectmen, notice.
M. C. Nash & Co., fancy groceries.
Washington Square Waiting room, cigars, etc.
Barnes & Benson, dry goods.
R. Biggar, household goods.
Seth Damon, Orient bicycles.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL

Bazaar of Ladies' Cemetery Improvement Association.

Grand Success—Interesting Programme Furnished Each Evening.

The eighteenth annual bazaar of the Ladies' Cemetery Improvement Association of Weymouth and East Braintree opened Tuesday evening, and closed last evening. The interior of the hall was prettily decorated with many colored crepe paper, and tastefully arranged with tables and booth on which were displayed the usual variety of useful and fancy articles.

The several tables were under the supervision of the following ladies each being assisted by an efficient corps of aids.

Fancy table—Mrs. W. I. Jordan.
Candy table—Mrs. J. F. Dwight.
Cake table—Mrs. J. E. Hunt.
Useful table—Mrs. A. P. Nash.
Box table—Mrs. George P. Niles.
Handkerchief table—Mrs. A. H. Sterling.

C. F. Vaughan presided at the ice-cream table.

The opening evenings entertainment was in charge of Mrs. A. M. Batchelder, Mrs. A. W Baker and Mrs. Alden Bowditch, and was as follows:

1. Orchestra.
2. Readig. Little Helen.
3. Shadow Patomine. "Miss Mabel and her lovers twain."
4. Orchestra.
5. Reading. Little Helen.
6. Shadow Pontomine. "What Mary really wanted."
7. Reading. Little Helen.
8. Orchestra.

Readers: Mrs. Rose Harkins of Everett. Little Helen, Child Reader, of Boston.
Music: Sulis Orchestra, six pieces.

Wednesday evening the entertainment was given under the direction of Mrs George T. Rand and Miss Louise Rand. A drama in two acts, entitled "Once On A Time," was presented with the following cast:

Jacob Tracy, (a wealthy grocer) Lyman C. Williams.
Luke Hardy, Dick Chubbuck, his clerks, Percy F. Baker, Ernest Vaughan.
Horton, (an adventurer) Chas. Q. Bates.
Julia Tracy, Isora Hender.
Neitie, (only a bother) Louise White.

This entertainment was of an especially interesting nature, and the roles were well taken.

Mrs. W. E. Holdgate also contributed a solo which added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening.

Miss Emma L. Clapp and William C. Mason were in charge of the entertainment the closing evening and a Plantation Concert was furnished by a chorus of 40 voices.

Each evening's entertainment was witnessed by an audience which was out of all proportions to the size of the hall and it is probable that it will be as successful financially as has been the case in the past.

The following are the officers of the association: President, Miss S. Jane Clapp; treasurer, Mrs. Edward T. Jordan; secretary, Mrs. Francis M. Drown.

The gross receipts were about $275.

LIVELY RUNAWAY.

Percy Cook and Companions Have Wild Ride.

An accident which easily might have resulted seriously, if not fatally, occurred at about noon Sunday. Percy Cook, Mrs. Fred Cook and Miss Ida Dunham were out driving, and when in the vicinity of the Erastus Nash estate, the horse which was a spirited animal, and which had not been driven for some time, became unmanageable, and started down Front street at a terrific rate of speed. In crossing the car tracks in Washington square, one of the rear wheels collapsed and the carriage was overturned. The occupants were thrown out, but almost miraculously escaped serious injuries, the ladies suffering only slight bruises and a general shaking up, while Mr. Cook sustained an injury to his left knee.

How Are Your Kidneys?
Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Thanks to Mr. Amos W. Stetson.

At a special meeting of the trustees of the Tufts Library in Weymouth, held on the 2d day of February, A. D. 1900, it was unanimously

Voted, that the trustees of the Tufts Library in Weymouth gratefully acknowledge the receipt by their treasurer of the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars from Mr. Amos W. Stetson of Boston as a gift to this library to constitute a fund, the income of which is to be devoted to the purchase of books for the library, which generous gift said trustees accept for the uses and subject to the conditions stated in the donor's letter to our treasurer enclosing his check for said sum with cordial thanks to the liberal giver.

Also, that the designation of this "fund" as a memorial to the estimable lady whose name it is to bear greatly enhances its value to us as citizens of this ancient town for the reason that it will largely aid in perpetuating to future generations of our citizens knowledge of the high esteem in which Mrs. Susannah Hunt Stetson, born and nurtured in Weymouth, was held by those who personally knew of her intelligence, her virtues and her gracious demeanor.

The clerk of the board was instructed to send a copy of this vote to Mr. Stetson.

publican Town Caucus.

The Republican Town Committee met at G. A. R. hall, East Weymouth, Wednesday evening and organized for the year with a choice of W. C. Earle as chairman and Bradford Hawes clerk. The coming town meeting was discussed and it was decided to hold caucuses for nominations in the several wards on the night of the 16th, and a general caucus on the night of the 17th.

OBITUARY.

Charles Addison Chessman Passes Away After Lingering Illness.

Another of Weymouth's old residents has passed away. Charles Addison Chessman, who had been ill for some time with heart trouble, died peacefully at his home on Summer street, Tuesday, February 6, at 6.30 p. m.

He was the son of Addison Chessman and Sarah (Clapp) Chessman, and was born on Summer street, Weymouth, Sept. 17, 1830, thus being 69 years, 4 months and 19 days of age at the time of his death. He was well known about town and much respected for his excellent qualities and kindly disposition. He was interested in the religious and moral improvement of the town, and for the last thirty years, had been a true and faithful member of Trinity Episcopal Church. For many years he was a warden of the church, a member of the choir and superintendent of the Sunday School.

At the time of his death, he was senior warden of the church and superintendent of the Sunday School.

His willingness, faithfulness and generosity in the parish will long be remembered, and his death is a great loss to that church.

The funeral services were held from Trinity Church at two o'clock this afternoon, the rector, Rev. William Hyde, officiating, and the services were the simple, yet grand service of the Episcopal Church, the hymns being rendered by members of choir. The interment was at the Village Cemetery.

He is survived by a widow, and two daughters, Miss Mae Chessman, and Mrs. Charles Hoffes.

GREAT SUCCESS.

Supper Prepared by Men is Without a Parallel.

A short time ago when the ladies of the Ladies' Social Circle connected with the M. E. Church of East Weymouth suggested to the masculine members of the society that they prepare the supper and entertainment for one of the fortnightly socials, it was considered as a great joke. However, as the men thought about it and talked it over among themselves, the idea recommended itself as a good one, and a small number began to think of getting ready the usual baked-bean supper. As soon, however, as this was suggested to the body of men, they decided that they would not do it by halves, but as something to which they might look back with pride.

About forty of them volunteered to do all in their power to make the undertaking an unqualified success and the result was the supper and entertainment which about four hundred people enjoyed in the vestry last evening.

While the visitors were removing their wraps in the auditorium, and the waiters in the room below were putting the finishing touches to the dishes of food and possibly to their own uniforms, a very pleasing organ concert was being given by Arthur M. Raymond, which was continued until supper was announced as ready. As the diners poured into the vestry which was filled with tables well supplied with food, the sight of forty waiters in the white frocks, each with a neat bouquet, was the occasion of much applause.

Soon all fell to work and as dish after dish was emptied it was promptly refilled. Some of the ladies attempted to embarrass the waiters by asking for various fancy dishes which they thought were not on hand, but they were always disappointed by their being immediately produced.

Some idea of the amount of food on hand may be formed when it is learned that there were prepared forty quarts of oysters for escalloped oysters, two hundred and fifty pounds of turkey, eighty puddings, and proportionate amounts of cake, pie and coffee.

After everyone had had his fill, a delightful entertainment was given which showed that the skill of the men was not confined to the commisary department.

This entertainment consisted of a number of selections by the orchestra, composed of: Messrs. S. C. Burgoyne, piano; George Hansen, violin; W. F. Freeman, cornet, and Arthur Fearing, clarinet, which also gave a concert during the supper; an original chorus by the waiters; piano solo, Porter Pratt; reading, Howard H. Joy; baritone solo, Stephen F. Pratt; selection by quartette composed of Laforrest Lincoln, Myron Ford, Stephen Pratt and George Lincoln; and a number of selections by the phonograph, operated by W. E. Ames.

The proceeds of this evening's work are to be given to the Ladies' Social Circle and it is expected that quite a large sum will be realized.

Falte'.

To hear the famous impersonator and reciter of negro dialect of the South. Mr. W. W. Lucas A. M., S. T. B., perfectly illustrates the manner and dialect of the Southern negro. He was at the M. E. Church one year ago, and although the evening was a stormy one, the church was filled to overflowing. As this talented negro is soon to accept a responsible professorship in a large university, this will be your last opportunity to hear him.

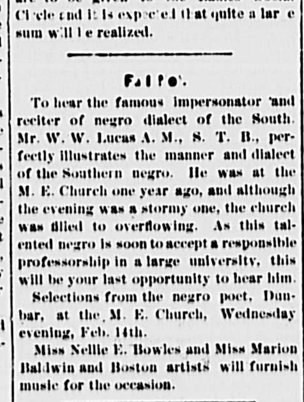
Selections from the negro poet, Dunbar, at the M. E. Church, Wednesday evening, Feb. 14th.

Miss Nellie E. Bowles and Miss Marion Baldwin and Boston artists will furnish music for the occasion.

Coming Event.

The annual ladies' night, supper and sociable of South Shore Commandery will occur Thursday evening February 22nd at Masonic hall, Soto Sunetaro, the Japanese wonder worker will present a wonderful and beautiful entertainment of Oriental Wonders; after which dancing will be enjoyed. This will be one of the social events of the season.

SANDOW'S CHEST DEVELOPMENT



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NOTICE!

The Warrant for Town Meeting Will be Closed MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19th,

And all persons desiring to have Articles inserted therein must hand them to the Selectmen on or before that day.

Per Order Selectmen,

BRADFORD HAWES, Clerk.

45-46

Notice to Voters.

WEYMOUTH, Jan. 31, 1900.

Meetings of the Registrars of Voters for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualifications of persons claiming a right to vote at the election to be held on MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1900, will be held as follows:

PRECINCT 1 (Engine House) Thursday, February 15, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 2 (Masonic Hall), Saturday, February 24, from 12 M. to 10 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 3 (Engine Hall), Friday, February 9, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M., and Wednesday, February 21, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 4 (Engine Hall, Nash's Corner), Tuesday, February 20, from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 5 (Engine House) Monday, February 5, and Friday, February 23, from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 6 (Engine Hall), Wednesday, February 7, and (G. A. R. Hall) Monday, February 19, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

Special Notice!

Registration WILL CLOSE on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24th, at 10 o'clock P. M.

The Registrars will be in session at MASONIC HALL, PRECINCT 2, on SATURDAY, Feb. 24, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

ACTS OF 1895. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE REGISTRATION OF VOTERS. Chap. 61. Section 2. Every male person moving into a city or town subsequently to the first day of May, and claiming the right to vote at an election and desiring to be registered by the registrars of voters, shall appear before the board of assessors, accompanied by two witnesses who shall testify under oath that they are registered voters of the ward or town in which he desires to be registered, and who shall also testify under oath to the truth of the statement of the applicant in regard to his being a resident of the city or town for the six months next preceding the election at which he claims the right to vote. The assessors shall give the applicant a certificate stating that he has complied with the provisions of this section.

The Board of Assessors will be in session at the above meetings.

DAVID S. MURRAY,
JOHN A. RAYMOND,
BENJAMIN F. SMITH,
CHARLES A. CARPENTER,
Registrars of Voters of Weymouth.

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DIED.

In Weymouth, Feb. 8, Henry Lukeman, aged 63 years, 7 months, 4 days.

In Weymouth, Feb. 6, C. Addison Chessman, aged 69 years, 4 months, 19 days.

In South Weymouth, Feb. 2, Ralph C., child of Lewis M. and Tirzah Gay, aged 4 years, 11 months, 20 days.

In North Weymouth, Feb. 3, Mary Amy, wife of Leonard F. Wolfe, aged 55 years, 5 months, 15 days.

In South Weymouth, Feb. 4, Grace G. Hunt, aged 29 years, 4 months, 23 days.

In North Weymouth, Feb. 4, Margaret A., wife of Matthew Coleman, aged 34 years, 5 months, 10 days.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

—Season tickets for Fogg Library Fair 60 cts., single admission 20 cts., reserved seat tickets 10 cts. Now on sale at store of Gordon Willis.

—Louis A. Cook, Jr., is home from Yale College and is confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

—John Seabury is temporary treasurer for the Library Fair. Get tickets of him, and make returns to him.

—A meeting of the Registrars of Voter, was held at the Hose 5 house, Monday evening.

—For Children's Night the Library Fair Committee have secured a boy-choir soloist from the Church of the Advent. Gather "chilluns" and hear him and other good music.

—N. B. Thayer has been confined to the house by illness the past week.

—The Library Fair entertainment to be furnished by the Old Colony Club, February 22, will be of a patriotic character. Mrs. Fred Holbrook has charge, which is enough to say.

—Old fashioned chocolates, 25 cents per pound at Harlow's.

—The "Conqueror" is in the paint shop and is to be newly painted and varnished. A new canvas covering has been purchased this week and is now being lettered by John Fitzpatrick.

—Bert Reed's Dramatic Company, will for the second night of the Library Fair present the farce, "Mr. Snarley's Difficulties." Come and laugh.

—A supper, social and entertainment was held at the Second Universalist Church, last evening.

—Phonographs at $1.00 a week at Wilder's.

The minstrel show the last night of the Library Fair will have Nat. Shaw, Fred Allison, and Geo. Hyatt for three of the end men, and the best chorus the village has ever furnished.

Literary Club.

—The next meeting of the South Weymouth Literary Club, will be held in Music Hall, Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock. The subject will be Henry W. Longfellow. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

Obituary—Mrs. Nancy (Thomas) Shaw.

Mrs. Nancy (Thomas) Shaw, a former resident of this town, died at the home of Mrs. Josephine Shaw in Braintree Thursday afternoon, Feb 1st., in her ninety-fifth year. The funeral services were held from the home of Mrs. Josephus Shaw Saturday afternoon, Feb. 3d, and were conducted by Rev. H. C. Alvord of South Weymouth and Rev. A. A. Ellsworth of Braintree.

Mrs. Shaw was born Sept. 11, 1805, in the house afterwards occupied by Mr. Solon Vining, and her home for over 70 years was on Union street. Her parents were Captain Andrew Thomas and Polly Loud Thomas. She was the only daughter among twelve children. The death of her youngest, and at that time only surviving brother, Henry Thomas, preceded her's by several months.

She was married to Warren Shaw Dec. 3, 1821, and survived him 28 years. She had ten children and five daughters are living, Mrs. Oliver Moulton, of Randolph, Maine; Mrs. Quincy A. Tirrell, Mrs. Wilson Tirrell, Mrs. N. H. Kingsley, of South Weymouth; and Mrs. James Bayley of Braintree. Three sons, Franklin, Henry and Josephus have passed away in the last few years.

The deceased was the oldest member of the Old South Church, her connection dating from the pastorate of Rev. William Tyler, 72 years ago. A woman of strong Christian character and much mental force, her influence has increased as the years have passed. Like Dorcas, she will be remembered by her much handiwork. Her hundreds of rugs and almost innumerable cushions and holders will bring her to the remembrance of descendants and friends for years to come. She loved the Bible and delighted with an old-time enthusiasm in Christian conversation. Although not able to attend her own church for many years, her love went out to the pastor and to all the members. The Sabbath was kept by her in spirit as well as in letter. Her interest in her grandchildren and great grandchildren seemed to retard the progress of age and impart to her something of the enthusiasm of youth. There are now living twenty-nine grandchildren and thirty-one great grandchildren.

Young Men to Serve.

—At the regular social of the Ladies' Social Circle connected with the Union Church, to be held Friday evening, Feb. 16, the young men will serve a turkey and oyster supper.

Special Music.

—At the Sunday evening service of the Union Church a male chorus of twenty voices, under the direction of Mr. F. W. Clark of North Abington, will render the following programe: 1. (a) "Hosanna in the Highest;" (b) "Sleep Holy Babe." 2. "Praise the Lord," soprano obligato by Mrs. C. W. Pratt. 3. "Heavenly Father". 4. (a) "Jesus Saviour;" (b) "Good night Beloved."

Obituary.—Miss Grace Hunt.

Miss Grace Hunt, who for several years has been a patient sufferer, passed away at her home on Main street, at an early hour Sunday morning.

The deceased was 29 years of age and was a graduate of the South High School. The funeral services occured at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Van Clancey of Medford officiating. The internment was at Highland Cemetery.

Obituary.—Ralph Gay.

Ralph, the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gay, of Main street, passed away Saturday, afer a brief illness with pneumonia. The funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Fin-de-Siecle Whist.

Miss Craibe will entertain the members of the Fin-de-Seicle Whist Club, at her home on Pond Plain, Monday evening.

Old Colony Club.

The regular meeting of the Old Colony Club of South Weymouth occurred on Thursday, Feb. 8, in the vestry of the Union Church. Owing to the inclemency of the weather many guests were unable to attend the lecture, which was of unusual interest. Still, a large audience greeted the speaker, Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, of Amherst, who entertained them her description of "An Ascent of Fuji the Peerless." Her charming manner and vivid description held the audience from the beginning to the close.

A vocal solo by Miss Ella Clark completed the program, after which an informal reception was held, and afternoon tea enjoyed.

By vote of the club, the afternoon meeting of Feb. 22 will be omitted, and the entertainment which would occur on that afternoon will be given on the evening of Feb. 22, in Fogg's Opera house, for the benefit of the library fair.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, wish to express to the many friends our sincere thanks for their kind words of sympathy and for the many tokens of affection and esteem in which our relative was held.

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500 yards of 10-4 Brown Sheeting. No need to tell you what it is worth. Remember that it is 2 1-2 yds. wide. **10c**

Outing Flannels.
There are a couple of thousand yards of those dark outings. They sold for 7c, 8c, and 9c, per yard. **5c**

Plaids
These are those handsome Cotton Scotch Plaids, worth 12 1-2c on the roll; but these are short lengths of 4 to 10 yards. While they last. **6 3-4c**

Damask
Just 4 pieces more of that full bleached 58 inch Damask. You would pay 37c for it; but for a very slight imperfection in the weave. **17c**

Napkins
25 dozen, all linen, 18 inch. Napkins. They are worth $1.25. Come early for these. **79c**

Storm Serge
4 pieces of heavy all wool Serge, in black and navy blue. Worth 69c yard. **35c**

French Plaids
These are heavy all wool 44 inch Plaids, dark colors, very suitable for skirts. We thought them cheap at 50c. For the rest of the week. **39c**

Dress Goods
Lots of odds and ends in this lot, some marked down from 39c, others 35c and 29c. **25c**

Dress Goods
Several pieces still left of those heavy black crepon effect novelties. They must all move out this week. Were 89c yard, now **49c**

Velvet
10 pieces of fine Black Silk Velvet. This would be a good fair value at $1.00. Out they go. **59c**

Corsets
About 50 dozen left of those 50c "Globe Corsets." We have cut them deep enough this time to make them fairly fly. While they last. **29c**

Corsets
Another good opportunity. Several styles of the famous "Sonnette" Corsets. The $1.00 quality. One or two sizes are gone in some of the styles. So they all go at **69c**

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Elegant Flour,	4.39 "	59c "

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WEYMOUTH and EAST BRAINTREE

—Miss Thompson's next talk will be at Miss Ella Sheppard's next Tuesday, Feb. 13th at 3 o'clock.

—Frank Burns of Mansfield, a former resident of this place, visited friends in town Wednesday.

—Harry Walker of Chicago, a former resident of this place, visited friends in town this week.

—D. G. W. Burton F. Johnson and suite visited Hercules Lodge No. 30, N. E. O. P., Roxbury, Monday evening.

—A horse owned by Simon Rogers fell on Quincy avenue last Sunday evening and broke a leg. A Quincy officer was called and ended the horse's misery with a bullet.

—The engagement is announced of Mr. George Joseph Richards of the firm A. J. Richards & Son, to Miss Anna Staley of Kansas City, Mo.

—Phonographs at $.100 a week at Wilder's.

—William McCormack was seen out this week, after an illness of several weeks' duration.

—Mrs. Granville Bowditch entertained the members of the Matinee Whist Club at her home on Quincy avenue, Tuesday afternoon.

—Miss Helen Walsh is clerking at the Washington square waiting room.

—B. F. Paine of Attleboro has been in town this week.

—G. P. Butterworth of Marion, Ind., is visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. A. A. Linton of Summer street.

—P. Henry Linton of Chicago is visiting relatives in town.

—J. E. Ludden has been doing the plumbing work at L. J. Hart's new store this week.

—Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P., conferred the rank of knight, last evening, on three candidates. Two new applications have been received, and the date of the anniversary is February 28th.

—Russell Frost is undergoing treatment at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, Boston.

—Rev. W. R. Keeler of Boston will supply the pulpit at the M. E. Church Sunday morning as the pastor, Rev. F. K. Baker is to preach and administer the Sacrament at South Braintree.

—Old fashioned chocolates, 25 cents per pound at Harlow's.

—Last Sunday Rev. Henry S. Snyder a very practical discourse to the young, particularly the Christian Endeavorers. Admonishing all present to strive to be helpful, attractive christians, not pompous and reserved. Taking for his text the call to the disciples "Follow me and I will make you Fishes of Men. The music was well rendered and a decidedly helpful feature of the service. The opening anthem was followed by a solo by Percy Baker and a trio and chorus "Abide with Me," Miss Alice B. Blanchard, soprano; Percy Baker, baritone; Atherton N. Hunt, bass; Miss A. F. Loud, organist. In the evening the Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor celebrated the nineteenth anniversary of its organization with special exercises.

—The class in China painting and water colors met with Mrs. A. M. Batchelder on Wednesday afternoon.

Literary Circle.
The Union Literary Circle met Monday evening, Feb. 5, with Mrs J. G. Worster. Instructive and interesting papers were read on Egypt and The Canal. Mrs. C. Crane in a very fine paper told us very many interesting facts about the canal. Miss Emma Fairbanks read a very excellent paper an Omer Caliphs and The Canal. Mrs. Worster and Miss Taylor entertained us delightfully with some musical selections. Mrs. Worster read a paper on Raphal which gave us much information regarding the life of this great artist.

Hurdy Gurdy Party.
A hurdy gurdy party will be held in Clapp's hall this evening under the auspices of Div. 6, A. O. H.

Recital by Lord Family.
A Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar Recital will be held at Lincoln hall Weymouth, Feb. 14, by the Lord Family of Quincy assisted by Master Theordore Muer, Mr. Lord's famous boy pupil and Mary A. Moran, reader, graduate of New England Conservatory College of Oratory. There will be lady ushers to escort you to a seat. Mr. Lord has made the admission small so that most everybody can afford to come to a strictly first class concert at a little expense. Ladies will be requested to kindly remove their hats. Tickets, 25 cents. For sale at usual stands. Doors open at 7.15, concert at 8 o'clock.

Epworth League Anniversary!
The Epworth League and the Junior League of the M. E. Church are to observe their anniversary Sunday evening. A brief address or sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. R. Keeler of Boston; subject: "Young life in the Church, while the pastor will conduct the installation service.

Entertained at Whist.
Miss Grace Walsh entertained a number of friends at whist at her home on Webb street Saturday evening. The ladies' prizes were taken by Miss Ella May Raymond, Miss Edna Sterling and Miss Blanch Childs. The gentlemen's honors were awarded to Fred Cushing, Harry Bates and John Guy. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Harbor Light Lodge Entertained.
Harbor Light Lodge, I. O. G. T., entertained guests from lodges from the neighboring towns Friday evening last. An interesting musical program was furnished by members of the order, and refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

Ladies' Benevolent Society.
The Ladies' Benevolent Circle met on Wednesday afternoon in the parlor of the Union Church. The usual business was transacted and it was voted to assist needy persons at home and also to work for the Indian Mission at Fort Bertholdt where Rev. Charles Hall is stationed. Some information as to missionary work was called for and it was arranged that ladies should prepare some short readings for the next meeting for the next meeting descriptive of the work in various lands and among different peoples.

Sunday School Reception.
The Sabbath School of the M. E. Church, East Braintree, is to give a reception to its members and friends this evening. An interesting programme will be furnished, followed by a social hour with refreshments. All former members of the school are invited to be present. Printed invitations are being distributed. Any persons wishing to contribute a book toward helping to renew the library, may feel that their gift will be appreciated.

Social Club Supper.
On Wednesday evening the regular meeting of the Social Club of the Union Church was held. Supper was served at 6.30 p. m. One hundred and fifty were present and enjoyed cold turkey, baked beans, hot rolls, hot coffee, sauces, preserves and pickles, cakes, pies and fruit. A social hour was spent after the supper. The hostesses were most hospitable. The ladies in charge are to be congratulated on the accomplishment of the most successful and enjoyable affair. Miss Ella W. Sheppard, president, called the Social Club to order and Miss Lillian Gutterson was elected secretary, vice Miss McGregor resigned.

Unfortunate Accident.
An unfortunate circumstance was the accident which occurred to William C. Mason at Lincoln hall last evening whereby he severely sprained his ankle. Mr. Mason had spent considerable time in rehearsing the young people for the entertainment and it is to be regretted that he should have been so unfortunate.

Stove Exploded.
A small blaze occurred at the residence of George F. Lord at about 6.30 o'clock this morning caused by the explosion of a small heater. The blaze was extinguished without the aid of the department. The damage will not exceed $75.

Henry Lukeman.
—Henry Lukeman died very suddenly at his home on Summer street, Thursday, of heart failure. The deceased was 63 years, 7 months and 4 days of age, and had resided in this town for several years. The funeral services will be held from the Church of the Sacred Heart at at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

—The Fore River Engine Company are now occupying their new office building.

—Miss Edith Lyon, the accommodating assistant at the Weymouth postoffice, has been grestly missed by her many friends the past few days, as she has been obliged to be absent from her duties, owing to the severe illness of her mother, Mrs. G. P. Lyon.

Bowling Tournament.
Interest in bowling has reached such a height in Weymouth that the followers of the sport feel warranted in starting a tournament. Accordingly, the following teams have been organized, and the following schedule arranged. The contests will occur at Burrell's alleys.

TEAM 1.—RATING.		TEAM 2.—RATING.	
P. Kiley,	85	C. Williams,	85
G. French,	80	A. L. Hobart,	80
J. Queeney,	75	E. Hall,	75
P. Sullivan,	70	Burrell,	70
J. O'Connell,	68	H. Linton,	68
TEAM 3.—RATING.		**TEAM 4.—RATING.**	
F. Drown,	85	J. H. Walsh,	85
M. O'Connell,	80	F. Burrell.	80
F. Walsh,	75	C. Drown,	75
P. Kelly,	70	F. Perry,	70
E. Tracy,	68	Harmon,	68

Dates of games.—Feb. 7, 1-2; 9, 3-4; 14, 2-4; 16, 1-3; 21, 1-4; 23, 2-3; 28, 1-2. March 2, 3-4; 7, 2-4; 9, 1-3; 14, 1-4; 16, 2-3; 21, 1-2; 23, 3-4; 28, 2-4; 30, 1-3. April 4, 1-4; 6, 2-3.

Revolutionary Daughters.
Abigail Smith Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, held its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. John Stevens, Webb street, Weymouth, Thursday evening, Feb. 14. Miss Lillian McGregor contributed a bright paper on "Historic Boston," Mrs. F. O. Wellington read "A Little Black-Eyed Rebel" and music was given by Miss Emma E. Bates and Mrs. Cutter.

French Class.
All those desiring to join a class for the study of French with Prof. Le Roy as teacher, are requested to meet at the residence of Miss C. A. Blanchard on Friday evening, Feb. 16, at 8 p. m.

Miss Jane Barlow is unequalled as a painter of Irish character, and under the title of "Two Sacks of Potatoes," she will contribute to the next volume of The Youth's Companion a bright and laughable tale of the holiday of two young Irish peasants.

In The Field Early.
The Social Labor party is the first in the field with ticket for the presidential campaign of 1900. John Harriman of Los Angles, Cal., stands at the head of the ticket and Max Hayes of Cleveland, Ohio, is the nominee for vice-president. "Eternal justice," "eternal rights" and "eternal truths" are the fundamental planks in the platform.

A Card.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.
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CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for the kindly aid rendered towards my recovery, and special thanks to Dr. Chase for his faithful attendance.
MRS. LUCY A. WIAG, and family.

CARD OF THANKS.
The recent blow that fell on us in the loss of our little daughter was materially lightened by many acts of kindness and words of sympathy and we take this occasion to thank our many friends and neighbors for these deeds and words. We feel especially grateful to Rev. A. W. Kingsley, to those who brought floral tributes and those whose ready hands and tender voice will never be forgotten.
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EAST WEYMOUTH.

—George W. Young began his ice harvest last Saturday and during the day ran in about a thousand tons of eight-inch ice.

—Postmaster James L. Lincoln is still confined to his home but is getting along well

—The Ladies' Social Circle connected with the M. E. Church will hold a meeting next Wednesday afternoon and evening with supper at 6 o'clock.

—The annual meeting of the Washington Club for choice of officers and other business will be held next Monday night.

—The horse of Lovell B. Bates took a little trip on his own account from High street to Young's stable on Tuesday, and a load of butter and cheese went over the road at a lively gate. No damage done.

—Commercial square was the scene of a lively runaway, or pair of runaways, Saturday noon. John Burns' vegetable team and H. L. Poole's hen team were standing in the square with no attendants to either of them just as the one o'clock car came. Both horses started on a run to see which could make the best time up High street. After a run to the Hingham line, the horse of Mr. Poole gave it up and landed against the fence, while Burns' horse kept on, pursued by E. H. Howe in another team, who captured him after a three-mile race.

—John and Annie White attended a party given by Miss Margaret White of Dorchester, last Friday night.

—Phonographs at $1.00 a week at Wilder's.

—Mrs. Charles Harrington has been confined to her home for several days as a result of a severe cold.

—"A rose by any other name would smell as sweet." Overheard in Jackson square on one of our recent very cold mornings as one of the Q. & B. vestibule cars passed. "I tell you them vegetable cars are a mighty good thing for motormen."

—Master Henry Thompson is having a serious time with sciatic rheumatism.

—Mrs. Luke Coyle of Quincy has been visiting friends in town this week.

—Florence and Carleton Murphy are at home with the whooping cough.

—Mr. Bodfish, principal of the Washington school, is having a forced vacation on account of tonsilitis.

—Town Clerk John A. Raymond has become a grandparent through his son-in-law Mr. Campbell and daughter Alberta. It is a boy.

—Arthur Fearing met with an accident on Monday which will probably disable him for sometime. A hatchet with which he was at work glanced making a severe injury on the knee pan.

—Thomas Collyer has four frozen fingers as the result of the last cold snap.

—Miss Etta Murphy who has been teaching at Farling is home on a short vacation.

—Frank Custance has so far recovered as to be able to be out, but is obliged to have the assistance of a cane.

—Miss Grace McKeever is substituting in the 5th grade Washington school, this week.

—Mrs. James Denbroeder gave a whist party at her home on High street Wednesday evening. The prize winners were A. H. Keith and Mrs. John A. Delano.

—Fifteen new members were received into Young Ladies' Sodality last Friday evening.

—It is rumored that the members of Div. 9, A. O. H., will soon be equipped with new hats and regalia.

—James Lynch of Lawrence visited his old home and friends on Sunday.

—Miss Martha Thompson of Windham, Me., is visiting her uncle, Sumner Thompson.

—Rheumatism has compelled Frank Maynard to take a vacation.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Julia Barrett and Mr. Charles White.

—A large number of pedestrians came in contact with the ground at the icy crossing in Jackson square, Saturday.

—John Cahill has secured a position as conductor on the West End road.

—T. F. Alexander of the Boston Baking & Catering Co. has been called to his home in Vermont on account of the sudden illness of Mrs. Alexander.

—The ladies of the Unitarian society will hold a Food Fair on the afternoons and evenings of the 14th and 15th, next Wednesday and Thursday. A good entertainment has been arranged for each evening.

—Miss Downing of South Hingham is the guest of E. F. Litchfield this week.

—The meeting of the Fairmount Cemetery Association for next week will be with Mrs. B. O. Raymond on Friday instead of Thursday and as there are but two meetings more before the fair and much important work to be done, a full attendance is desired.

—Old fashioned chocolates, 25 cents per pound at Harlow's.

Brilliant Concert.
The concert given by Mrs. Jeanette Lovell in the Opera house, Wednesday evening, was one of the most classic and enjoyable entertainments of the season and was worthy of a much larger audience than that which greeted the several artists.

Mrs. Lovell looses nothing of her charm and brilliancy as the days go by and on this occasion excelled her previous efforts, was repeatedly the recipient of rounds of applause and floral tributes which found their way over the footlights.

Mr. Thomas E. Clifford is too well known to need comments. It is sufficient to say that Mr. Clifford sang and when Mr. Clifford sings the audience goes wild with raptures of applause.

Miss Pauline D. Browne as a pianist was no small factor and added materially to the evening's enjoyment.

Miss Cecile Lovell has inherited a large share of her mother's genius and during the evening figured as a violinist, pianist and vocalist in all of which she achieved success.

The previous announcement called for Miss Blanche Percival as violinist but Miss Percival being ill, Master Herman Goldstein was substituted and with all due respect to Miss Percival, the substitution was a good one. We hardly know whether to say Master Goldstein is a coming artist or a come artist, certainly he "got there" on Wednesday night and encore after encore was called for. The boy need not be afraid to appear in competition with violinists of more mature years and larger experience.

Following is the program:

Waltz. . . . . *Moszkowski*
Miss Browne.
"The Coming of the King." . *Roeckel*
Mr. Clifford.
Largo from "Fantasia Appasionata." *Vieuxtemps*
Master Herman Goldstein.
"To son Titania," from the opera "Mignon." . . . . . *Thomas*
Mrs. Lovell.
{a. "Angel's Serenade." . *Braga*
{b. "Moment Musical." . *Schubert*
Master Herman Goldstein and Miss Cecile Lovell.
"Mia sposa sara la mia bandéra." *Rotoli*
Mr. Clifford.
"Venetian Boat-song. "(By desire.) *Tosti*
Mrs. Lovell and Miss Cecile Lovell.
{a. "Caprice." . . *Sassenhagen*
{b. "Butterfly." . . *Grieg*
Miss Browne.
{a. "Beauty's Eyes." . *Tosti*
{b. "Roses." . . *Oscar Weil*
Mrs. Lovell. Violin obligato by Miss Cecile Lovell.
"Hungarian Rhapsody." . *Hauser*
Master Goldstein.
{a. "Disconsolate." *Graben-Hoffmann*
{b. "Master and Scholar." . *Horn*
Mrs. Lovell and Mr. Clifford.

Polo.
Thursday, Feb. 1. East Weymouth defeated by Brockton tonight in an overtime game 3—2. Saturday Feb. 3. The home team met its second overtime defeat at the hands of the Clinton aggregation 3—2.

Government Depository.
Cashier Robinson, of the Hingham National Bank, has secured for that institution a portion of the public funds and recently received on deposit, without interest, $100,000 of Uncle Sam's surplus.

Mr. Robinson justly feels much pleased by the result of his efforts and the comparative showing his bank made.

WEYMOUTH CENTER.

—J. Walter Howley has had an enforced vacation, from the training ship Enterprise, on account of the measles breaking out there, Cadet Coburn is visiting him.

—Scarlet fever has appeared in our midst again, though in a light form, Eddie, second son of Frunq Far;en is the sufferer, but is improving rapidly.

—Ruth E. Bates, has become the happy possessor of a fine new piano.

—Mrs. Albion Leavitt visited friends in Crockton, last week.

—Mrs. M. Augusta Pratt, was called to Bridgewater, on account of the severe illness of her sister's husband, Mr. Griffin.

—Sumner F. Shaw is doing quite a business, in the way of buying and selling the shoe blacking manufactured by Phillip McLaughlin.

"I think I would go crazy with pain were it not for Chamberlain's Pain Calm" writes Mr. W. H. Stapleton, Herminie, Pa. "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for several years and have tried remedies without number, but Pain Balm is the best medicine I have got hold of." One application relieves the pain. For sale by
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Geo. M. Hoyt, East Weymouth.
F. A. Smith, Braintree.
W. A. Torrey, South Braintree.

"Pulpit Eloquence" is the topic which the Very Rev. Dean Farrar (formerly so well-known as Canon Farrar) has chosen for an article of reminiscences, recalling the power and charm of some of the greatest preachers of our times. This is soon to appear in The Youth's Companion.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services, etc., as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday morning of each week—the day before publication. Unless copy is received *each week* no announcement will appear.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (North Weymouth). Rev. Thomas H. Vincent, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday school, 11.45 a. m. Endeavor meeting at 6.15 p. m. Vestry service at 7.00. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7.30. Subject of Sunday morning sermon, "The Story of Jonah." Subject of evening sermon, "A striking evidence of a Future Life." A cordial invitation to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth) Frank B. Cressey, pastor. Lord's Day services: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Bible school at 12. Young people's meeting at 5.45 Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7.30 p. m. Morning sermon, by Rev. Mr. Snyder of the Union Congregational Church. Evening sermon, by pastor, "New in Christ." Bible school lesson, "Jesus and Nicodemus," John 3: 1-18.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Preaching in the morning at 10.30 by Rev. Mr. Patterson of Tufts College. Sunday School at 12 m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. R. R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30. Sunday School 12. Evening service at 7 o'clock Thursday evening, 7.30. All are cordially invited.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. Frank E. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. Evening service at 7, music by the boy choir.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth) Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at 12 m. Evening service at 7.30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, (East Weymouth). Rev. A. W. Kingsley, pastor. Morning worship and preaching at 10.30. Sunday School at noon. Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7.00 p. m. Tuesday evenings, 7.45 p. m. prayer meetings. Thursday evenings 7.45, class meetings. Holy Communion, first Sunday in every month at 2.30 p. m.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. H. S. Snyder, pastor. Morning service 10.30. Sunday School 12. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Rev. Frank B. Cressey will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth) Gospel temperance meeting at 5 p. m

OLD SOUTH CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. H. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m., morning worship 11.45, Sunday school 6 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. 7 p. m., preaching service in the church. Sermons by the pastor. All cordially invited.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth) Service at 3.00 p. m. S. C. Beane will occupy the pulpit.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. Wm. Kirkby, pastor. Sunday School at 12.45. Preaching service at 2 p. m. Epworth League at 6.00. Social and Praise service at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Rev. J. B. Holland, assistant. Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

ZION'S HILL CHAPEL, (East Weymouth) Social service at 2 and 6.30 p. m.

FREE MISSION CHAPEL, (Nash). Sunday-school at 12 m. Preaching service at 1.30. Evening service at 7.30 p. m.

SECOND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth. Rev. L. W. Attwood, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday School, 12. Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth). Afternoon service 2.30. Preaching by Rev. Mr. Patterson of Tufts College. Sunday School at 1 p. m. Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth), Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. High Mass at 10.30 a. m. Vespers at 7.45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth). Rev. Francis A. Poole, pastor. Morning worship at 10.30 a m. Sun. School at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Social service at 7. p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. (East Braintree.) Rev. F. K. Baker, pastor. Sunday services are held as follows: Morning service, 10.30. Sabbath School, 12 m. Junior League, 5.15 p. m. Epworth League, 6.15 p. m. Evening service, 7.15. Class meeting Tuesday, 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7.30 p. m. Sunday morning sermon by Rev. W. C. Keeler will. At the evening service there will be an address by Rev. W. C. Keeler. There will also be installation of officers of both the Senior and Junior Leagues by the pastor.

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NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—The meeting of the Registrars of Voters in Precinct 1 will be held in Engine hall on Thursday evening the 15th instead of Friday evening the 16th on acconnt of the Caucus which has been arranged for the 16th.

—The Wessagusett Club will celebrate Ladies' Night Wednesday evening with a supper and dance at Engine hall.

—William T. Shaw of Brockton died Monday evening after a short illness. (Mrs. Shaw nee Battles is a former resident of this town).

—Monatiquot Colony 112, U. O. P. F., will hold a public installation Tuesday evening at Pilgrim Church.

—Rev. W. A. Pratt of Jamestown, N. Y., is visiting friends.

—A large number attended the turkey supper at East Weymouth last evening.

—Miss Mabel Bartlett entertained friends at her home on Lovell street, Tuesday.

—The Pansy Club held a meeting Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Geo. Clark.

—Mrs. A. J. Sidelinger gave an afternoon tea Wednesday.

—Rev. Mr. Patterson of Tufts College preached Sunday at the Third Church.

—The members of the Third Church Parish will nold a special meeting Thursday evening.

—Miss Mabel Estes was tendered a surprise party by her many friends Friday evening.

—The members of the Algonquin Club were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Pratt, Curtis street and tomorrow evening the members and their friends will make the acquaintance of "The Girl from Maxims" at the Boston Museum.

—Rev. Thomas H. Vincent will preach on "The Story of Jonah" Sunday morning at the Pilgrim Church.

Obituary.
Mrs. Margaret A. Coleman, a well known resident of this place died Sunday morning at her home on Lovell street of consumption, aged 34 years. Deceased was active in church work and leaves a husband and four children to mourn her loss. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning from her late home and Requiem Mass was celebrated at St. Jerome Church by Fr. Begley assisted by a choir. The interment was at Calvary.

Obituary.
Mrs. Leonard Wolfe, a well known resident died suddenly Friday evening of heart disease at her home on Newton street, aged 58 years. Deceased was prominent in social and religious circles and was a regular attendant at the Third Church. She leaves a husband, three sons and a daughter. Funeral services were held from the Third Church Tuesday afternoon Rev. L. Atwood officiating. The W. R. C. of which the deceased was a member attended in a body. The interment was at the Old North Cemetery.

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A new American girl will be introduced to the public in the pages of the March Ladies' Home Journal. She will owe her creation to Howard Chandler Christy, the young artist who has recently won great distinction for his most interesting portrayals of American womanhood. The first drawing will show the "American Girl at Church," and subsequent ones will picture her as a bride, at college, at sports, on the farm, in society, as a daughter and as a mother. There will be eight page-pictures in all.

Of exceptional timeliness and unusual interest is an article on "The Domestic Life of the Boers," which Olive Schreiner the author of "The Story of an African Farm," has written for Youth's Companion. It will be published immediately, and be followed by other African stories and articles by such authorities on African affairs as Sir Henry M. Stanley, Rider Haggard and Sir H. H. Johnstone, formerly British High Commissioner in Central Africa.

An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.
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WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS

—The meeting of the Reigstrars of Voters in Precinct 1 will be held in Engine hall on Thursday evening the 15th instead of Friday evening the 16th on account of the Caucus which has been arranged for the 16th.

—The Old North Literary Club met with Mrs. Robert Steele on Monday evening.

—A regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held with Mrs. Gilbert Hunt on Wednesday afternoon.

—As Walter Sladen was unable to accept the office of superintendent of the Sunday School to which he was recently elected, a special meeting was held on Tuesday evening and Miss Louisa E. Humphrey was unanimously elected superintendent and Dea. Rufus Bates was elected assistant superintendent.

—We are glad to see Carl Hunt on the street again after his recent severe illness.

—Charles Stone is gradually gaining strength and will probably be removed to the hospital in Boston during the week.

—Mrs. Charles Bolles has returned from her visit to New York.

—Frank Richards has his six-hundred-egg indubator full of eggs nearly ready for hatching.

—The Ladies' Benevolent Society meets this afternoon with Mrs. Murphy. The entertainment committee is hard at work upon an unusually pleasing entertainment to be given the last of this month. All want to be ready for it and not miss it.

—The N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co. have been repairing the buildings around the station, putting the fences in order, cutting down trees, etc. Much regret is expressed over the loss of the fine row of willow trees on the line of the Ellis estate, but the explanation is that the leaves blowing on the track interfered with the running of the trains.

—The high wind last week blew down an apple tree at the corner of East street and Union avenue which tree is known to have been set out one hundred and three years ago. One tree is now left of the one hundred which were set out at that time.

McClure's Magazine For February.
The February McClure's opens with a second instalment of "The Life of the Master" by the Rev. John Watson (Ian Maclaren), illustrated with four of Mr. Linson's brilliant paintings, reproduced in colors of the originals, and a number of beautiful drawings in black and white. In both text and illustrations, the work increases in interest and distinction as it progresses, and more and more decisively sets a new standard in magazine publication.

Other noteworthy features of the number are Walter Wellman's account of the extraordinary experiences of his last year's Arctic expedition; Governor Boutwell's reminiscences of the Grant Administration, under which he himself was a member of the Cabinet; Mr. Alleyne Ireland's exposition of the relative strength of the great powers in colonial territory, population, and resources; Cleveland Moffett's account of the latest discoveries and speculations regarding the composition of the interior of the earth, as unfolded in conversations with the great earthquake expert, Professor John Milne; and Ray Stannard Baker's intimate biographical and character study of the new Governor of Cuba, General Leonard Wood. All of these articles, except Governor Boutwell's, are fully illustrated.

A piece of fiction entitled "The Killing of the Mammoth," published in McClure's some months ago, was taken by many readers as a record of fact as much to the surprise as to the regret of the editors. In the present number, Mr. Frederic A. Lucas, of the National Museum, gives us "The Truth about the Mammoth;" and the *truth*, as Mr. Lucas, out of his ample scientific knowledge, presents it, is so extremely interesting that even those who were most misled by the inventions of the story writer will feel that ample amends are here made.

The fiction of the number includes a story of mining life, a yachting and love story of the Georgia coast, a story of English prison life, and a railroad story—all original in incident and interestingly illustrated.

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Understand this first, last and always—The world wants the best thing: it wants your best.

Melbourne, Australia, recently experienced the first fall of snow in its history. It came late in the Australian winter and was heavy enough for the children to make snowballs.

Mrs. Frontpue (to minister's wife): "Why is your husband always asking for money, money, money?" Minister's wife (wearily): "I presume it's because he never gets any."—New York Weekly.

Perhaps no one but has realized the repulsion of a very harsh unmelodious voice. Of all sounds none seems so painfully penetrating as a voice in which there is no pleasant tone.

The successful man is not the one who is proficient in one thing and not in others. He must be a good all-round man, capable of doing all things well.

"Don't despair, Joe; there is plenty of room at the top."
"Yes; that statement, I've observed, is generally put forward by people who have never been there."—N. Y. Truth.

Mrs. Youngwife—The baby talks incessantly. I think he will grow up to be a congressman.
Mr. Oldbach—I wouldn't worry about it, if I were you. Maybe he'll be a barber. —(Philadelphia Record).

Exchange—"What is a furrier, Tommy?" asked the teacher of a pupil in the juvenile class. "A man who deals in furs," answered Tommy. "Now Johnny, you may tell me what a currier is." "A man who deals in curs," was the unexpected reply.

"The young man who gets cheated," said the corn fed philosopher, "thinks the other fellow wonderfully smart, but the elderly person who goes up against it admits himself to be a fool."—Indianapolis Journal.

When a man begins to hoard his money and count the pennies, he is encouraging some pretty mean traits to come and board with him. You can tell a stingy person as far as you can see him. The open-hearted, generous, liberal individual can be picked out of a crowd any time. The man that treats himself pretty well is usually apt to make things pleasant for his friends.

"What," asked the sentimental young woman, "was the most touching incident you ever witnessed?"
And after some thought Senator Sorghum answered, with emphasis:
"An election."—Washington Star.

There are several qualifications that the successful young man must have. First, he must be honest. He must be moral and he must be sober. I tell you that the young man who drinks can never be successful. You can't trust a drinking man. He must not gamble. I want to say that I had as lief trust the man who gambles at Monte Carlo as the man who gambles in Wall street.

His Friends.
Wife—Don't you feel better now that you've stopped drinking? Don't you find that your friends have more respect for you?
Husband—No, I don't. They all say I'm getting stingy.—Philadelphia Record.

The Point of View.
Blugg—What! won't go down to see the mangled remains?
Wugg—No.
Blugg (disgustedly)—Now, that is what I call a morbid lack of curiosity.—Judge.

Merely a Hint.
Mr. Borem (11 p. m.)—My motto is to pay as you go.
Miss Cutting—Well, I'm willing to lend you a small amount if it will help you out.—Chicago Daily News.

Hadn't Had a Tip.
"This room is very close," said the patron.
"So are the people in it," replied the waiter.—Chicago Post.

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HINTS TO FARMERS.

Those who failed to set out shade trees during the fall should prepare now to do so in the spring.

There are between 700 and 800 breeders of Guernsey cattle in this country, and the cattle number about 12,000 head.

The dairyman who allows his stalls to be in such condition that the sides of the cows become plastered with filth and the udders and teats smeared with the liquids of the stalls is guilty of neglect. The use of straw for several successive days and nights without change is a mistake.

In any case no growing crop should be allowed to stand in the orchard during all the season, as the roots of the crop use plant food that should be left for the use of the trees, and the moisture in the soil is all needed by the growing trees. Where clover is grown it should be plowed under before the middle of May.

Now is one of the best times to haul out and apply manure on the meadows and manuring the meadows is one of the best plans of keeping up the fertility.

If the weather permits, the manure should be hauled and spread on the ground before spring, and the application of fertilizer should not be delayed, especially if potash is to be applied. It is better to put fertilizer on the strawberry, raspberry and blackberry locations while the ground is cold than to delay, as to apply too late may cause injury in some cases.

Under the old order of things, the farmers were short of manure, and were it not for commercial fertilizers, would be so today. But a great change for the better is now taking place. We have learned that phosphoric acid, potash and nitrogen are the chief elements of plant food and vegetable growth.

There is plenty of work to do in the winter if the farm is rightly managed. It is the season of the year for all repairs and renewals. Every implement or piece of machinery should be overhauled and all repairs ordered, so as to be ready for spring work.

New pastures should be seeded to a great many varieties of grasses, for the reason that some kinds will be found indigenous to the soil and will hold much longer than others. Again, if the land is slightly low it may be adapted to varieties that will not thrive on other locations. It is very difficult to select the desired varieties, and only the use of many kinds will prove satisfactory later on.

In case of orchard trees, it is often advisable to take off the hanging bark in order to destroy the harboring places of codlin-moth and other insects. Even in that case, I should not scrape down to the light colored or inner bark, but take off merely the rough, loose exterior.

In the spring a yard should be fenced off for the hens in which they will thrive better without doing any mischief than if they were allowed to run at large, in which case they are often very troublesome in newly-sowed fields. The roosting room should be thoroughly cleaned as often as once or twice a week, and the floor sprinkled with lime.

In tree pruning it is a decided gain for the future tree value to paint all scars left by the saw above an inch across. With continued painting the scar will, if not more than four inches across, and providing the tree is thrifty, in time be covered with new bark, each year's layer of new growth adding to the preceding one.

An asparagus plantation should be supplied annually with well-rotted stable manure or mineral fertilizers distributed in furrows run each side of a row. The application of stable manure, ground bone, bone meal, acid phosphate and muriate or sulphate of potash can be made to best advantage early in the spring before growth starts.

A CITY WITHOUT SOAP.

Sixty Thousand Japanese Who Had Not Learned How to Bathe.

Miss Kate V. Johnson, of Madison, Ind., who has lived in Japan for thirteen years, talks in an interesting way of the little people of that country, who live without chairs, bedsteads, knives, forks, spoons or soap; of the women who paint their teeth black and shave their eyebrows to indicate their loyalty to their husbands; of the carpenters who make long beautiful shavings by drawing their planes toward them and who place the back door at the front of the house: and of their books in which their preface is placed at the end of the book and foot notes at the head of the page

Miss Johnson first went to Akita, a city of 60,000 persons, and found it a city without soap. Naoye Saito, a young Japanese girl who came to live in her house, had never had a soap bath in her life. She kicked and screamed when her first bath was given her and said they were trying to kill her. A cake of Ivory Soap was sent Naoye Saito's father with instructions to use it on his person. He came back the next day and asked for another cake, saying he had used it all up.

Before Miss Johnson left Japan last summer she took Naoye Saito, who had been with her for ten years, back to her native province and left her to earn her own living. While still in Tokio, a few days before sailing for America, Miss Johnson received a letter from Naoye in which she said: "I forgot one thing very necessary to our comfort in this place. Will you please go to the grocery store and buy me a dozen cakes of Ivory Soap and send to me at once?" She sent a money order to pay for it, and the soap was sent.

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THREE ANGELS.

They say this life is barren, drear and cold,
Ever the same sad song was sung of old,
Ever the same long weary tale is told.
And to our lips is held the cup of strife,
And yet—a little love can sweeten life.

They say our hands may grasp but joys destroyed,
Youth has but dreams, and age an aching void,
Whose Dead sea fruit long, long ago has cloyed,
Whose night with wild tempestuous storms is rife—
And yet a little hope can brighten life.

They say we fling ourselves in wild despair
Amidst the broken treasures scattered there,
Where all is wrecked, where all once promised fair;
And stab ourselves with sorrow's two-edged knife,
And yet a little patience strengthens life.

Is it then true, this tale of bitter grief,
Of mortal anguish finding no relief?
Lo! midst the winter shines the laurel's leaf:
Three angels share the lot of human strife,
Three angels glorify the path of life.

Love, Hope and Patience cheer us on our way,
Love, Hope and Patience form our spirit's stay,
Love, Hope and Patience watch us day by day,
And bid the desert bloom with beauty vernal,
Until the earthly fades in the eternal.
—Temple Bar.

Mr. Oddie's Courtship.

By Sheela E. Braine.

MR. MARKHAM ODDIE was a model lodger, an old bachelor, and a heart-whole man. That is to say, he was all three until the day—considerably past his fortieth birthday—that a special fate took him in hand, and brought him face to face with the younger of two ladies who had recently come to live in one of the houses opposite.

They were evidently mother and daughter; both were comely and the last-named of the two had one of the sweetest faces it had ever been Mr. Oddie's luck to behold. She happened to drop a small parcel whilst walking along their mutual road, and he hurried after her with it. The smile with which she received it went straight through Mr. Oddie's somewhat antiquated waistcoat.

All the evening he thought of that smile. When he went to bed, he endeavored, with the aid of three candles, to get an impartial view of that region on the top of his head where the hair ought to have been, but now, alas, was not. That bald spot had not troubled him much up to that time; now he regarded it with mistrust.

Mr. Oddie had led an amiable, punctual, uneventful existence, going to and returning from the city every week day with regularity and dispatch—the kind of person who is never asked for his season ticket. He was comfortably off, and had no one dependent upon him; the few relatives he possessed lived in the shires.

Mr. Oddie had remained a bachelor all these years possibly because nobody had set to work to marry him. It was not that he objected to women; on the contrary, he admired the fair sex, as a whole, quite unreservedly. But he had never given his heart to any one particular woman, and his landlady looked upon him as a fixture.

The returning of that apparently innocent looking parcel marked an epoch. Life was never the same again to the little old bachelor. He had not watched Miss Hexham's gentle face and well-developed but graceful figure for ten days before he became convinced that it was not good for a corn dealer to live alone.

"A man wanted softening influences about him"—here he hurled a piece of fried ham to the cat—"he needed a gentle hand to guide and restrain him." Mr. Oddie at this point discovered that he had forgotten to wind his watch up the night before.

The truth was, he was in love, and with a young woman with whom he had never exchanged a syllable. He learned her name from his landlady, an austere person, whose mind was set upon a curious form of religion, and who did not take much thought about frivolous worldly matters.

Questioned discreetly by her lodger, this worthy but depressing person could tell him little regarding the two ladies who were now the object of such tender interest to him. They were a Mrs. and Miss Hexham, so she had heard, and Mrs. Hexham was either deaf or dumb, or it might be both, for her daughter talked on her fingers to her, and she answered back in the same way.

Mr. Oddie's courtship was a very decorous affair. In Spain, despite his years, he would doubtless have adopted the role of an "iron-eater," as the youth who goes courting under his lady-love's balcony is styled.

But in sober, unromantic England, the suitor does not eat iron, or serenade the queen of his heart on the guitar. He has to be properly introduced, and the little corn dealer, knowing this respectable custom, would have given anything for an introduction which would have allowed him to call and establish friendly relations.

The months passed, and still he could not get that thin but necessary end of the wedge in. The mother and daughter seemed to have very few friends, and never went out, probably on account of Mrs. Hexham's affliction. It was hard upon the daughter, Mr. Oddie thought, but he admired her all the more for her self-sacrifice.

Miss Hexham became aware of his devotion, of that Mr. Oddie was convinced. When they met—and he took care that they did meet pretty often—he ventured to raise his hat, and smiles were exchanged. But there the affair halted, to the poor little man's frequent despair. He could get no "forrader."

Once, when he attempted to speak, Miss Hexham turned the color of a red rose, and promptly hurried away.

"I have never been properly introduced, that is why," was Mr. Oddie's anguished reflection. "She must have been exquisitely brought up; the very pink of propriety."

"Something will have to be done," cried the poor man, desperately, on the day that he went to the city without a tie and an unfeeling acquaintance jeered at him and inquired if his liver were out of order. His liver! Perish the thought! It was his heart.

He decided at length that, like Hezekiah, he would ask for a sign from heaven. He would send the object of his adoration a bouquet, an anonymous bouquet of the choicest; she would surely guess from whom it came. If she placed it in the window he would write to Mrs. Hexham, explain himself and his intentions, and request permission to call.

Mr. Oddie took a holiday the day the bouquet was sent off from Covent garden; to sit still in his office was a thing impossible. He went for a long walk but where his neat little legs took him he was never able to say.

The next day the agony increased; there was no sign. Mr. Oddie fell plump into the depths of despair, and was convinced that he had offended his lady-love. He had not been properly introduced; the phrase became a perfect nightmare to him.

But the second day there was the bouquet in the window in all its glory, and, moreover, Miss Hexham was bending over it, inhaling its perfume. She was a beautiful woman; not too young for a man—ahem—in his prime. The wonder was that such a treasure had not been snapped up before.

Markham Oddie wrote to Mrs. Hexham. It took him hours and hours to compose the letter, and it was the most deliciously old-fashioned epistle ever penned in a practical century. Two whole days elapsed before a little note came in reply:

"Mrs. Hexham presents her compliments to Mr. Markham Oddie, and would be pleased to see him, if he could make it convenient to call this evening between eight and nine o'clock."

The note was a formal one; but when the agitated little old bachelor was shown into the sitting-room at Holmwood, Mrs. Hexham, who was alone, received him with a very kindly smile. Her eyes looked as if she had been crying.

"Please take a seat," she said. "It has been very close all day, has it not?"

"Terribly," answered the visitor. "Do you feel the heat much?"

"Yes, I am afraid I do," was the reply, and Mr. Oddie suddenly recollected that his future mother-in-law was said to be deaf and dumb. This lady was certainly neither.

"My daughter," said Mrs. Hexham, after a pause, "desired me to tell you how very, very grateful she is to you for your letter and the flowers. She has gone away for a short time to stay with friends. She—she thought it best."

Mr. Oddie sat there, unable to utter a word. "She had gone away, because she thought it best." That meant that there was no hope for him.

Mrs. Hexham's eyes filled with tears as she looked at him. "Oh," she cried "I am so sorry—so very sorry! You are such a good, kind-hearted man, I am sure. Of course, you did not know, or you would not have thought of it."

"Thought of what?" asked Mr. Oddie, heavily.

"Of marrying my poor Agatha. You did not know that she is deaf and dumb?"

Mr. Oddie stared at the speaker in blank amazement. It was fully a minute before he grasped the significance of what she was saying. It was the daughter, not the mother, who was "afflicted," as Mrs. Roper would have phrased it. He was silent, and Mrs. Hexham continued:

"My poor girl is over-sensitive, and your kindness went to her heart, I can assure you."

Mr. Oddie pulled himself together and rose to his feet. At this moment there was something almost noble about his rather tubby little figure.

"Madam," he said, firmly, "your daughter is an angel, and I love her Will you have the goodness to give me her address—that is, if you will sanction my asking her to do me the honor to be my wife?"

"It seems rather unconventional," she said; "but it is not exactly an ordinary case, is it? And I am sure you are a good man. Mr. Sedley, the vicar was talking about you only the other day, and saying how charitable you were. Agatha has the sweetest disposition, and she is so quick you hardly realize that she is not like other people indeed, I think you would be very happy together."

"I think we three would be very happy together," answered Mr. Oddie, emphasizing the "three." He took the widow's hand and kissed it with old-fashioned gallantry.

It is unnecessary to mention at what unearthly hour Mr. Oddie required his breakfast the next morning, or to state that he hardly ate a mouthful of it.

In the afternoon of the same day Mrs. Hexham might have been seen reading a telegram, with a beaming face. It was not a long one, for it contained only five words: "Love from Agatha and Markham."—Sketch.

Unintentional.
A London exquisite went into a West End restaurant and was far from pleased with the manner in which his order was filled. "Do you call that veal cutlet?" he demanded of the waiter. "Why, such a cutlet as that is an insult to every self-respecting calf in the British empire." The waiter hung his head for a moment, but recovered himself and said, in a tone of respectful apology: "I really didn't intend to insult you, sir."—Youth's Companion.

Didn't Work.
"What a beautiful lounge!"
"Yes. That's a birthday present from my husband. He always gives me a present that costs him as many dollars as I am years old."
"That's nice of him. It reconciles one to growing old. By the way, I have a lounge at home like that, but not nearly as fine, and we paid $38 for it."
"Is that all? This—this didn't cost nearly as much as that."—Chicago Tribune.

No Wonder It Looked Strange.
"Here is the portrait of your wife, sir. How do you like it?"
"Um-m-m. Pretty good. Hold on. There's something wrong about the mouth."
"Why, what is it?"
"I dunno. Gimme time. It isn't natural. I never saw her mouth look like that. Ha! I have it. You have painted it closed!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Very Unlucky.
Sam Sparks—Yo' fadder, Miss Primrose, am an' ol' jack rabbit.
Miss Primrose—Well, all Ah's got to say, Sam Sparks, is if yo' eber cums across his foot yo'll find it de most unluckiest rabbit's foot in de dream book.—Chicago Daily News.

On a Boston Trolley Car.
Small Boy (partially sotto voice)—Gee! that woman must have swallowed a yeast cake.
Portly Lady (overhearing)—Yes, my boy, and if your mother had taken a yeast cake you would have been better bred.—Boston Transcript.

As Time Progresses.
"I suppose you feel that you are well informed on the currency question?"
"No," answered the man of grave manners. "I can't say I do."
"But you used to."
"Yes. But I have studied it a whole lot since then."—Washington Star.

Other Worlds to Conquer.
Rose—I think, Clarence, we had better move to another hotel.
Clarence—Why, Rose, we are delightfully situated.
Rose—I know, Clarence; but the people here have seen all my silk waists.—Brooklyn Life.

A CHILLY EVENING.

Unwelcome Suitor—That's a lovely song! It always carries me away.
She—If I had known how much pleasure it could give us both, I should have sung it earlier in the evening.
(He was from Philadelphia, and it was not until the next morning, in the train, that he "caught on," and his heart grew sick as he viewed the kindly hint in the light of subsequent events.)
—Harlem Life.

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East Braintree.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.20, 9.20 A. M.; 1.05, 4.50, 6.59, 7.59 P. M.

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East Weymouth.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.10, 9.10 A. M.; 12.55, 4.40, 6.40, 7.50 P. M.

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MEETINGS OF THE
Selectmen & Overseers of the Poor

The Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor of Weymouth will be in session at the
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Weymouth, April 18, 1898.

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Notice to Voters.

WEYMOUTH, Jan. 31, 1900.

Meetings of the Registrars of Voters for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualifications of persons claiming a right to vote at the election to be held on MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1900, will be held as follows:

PRECINCT 1 (Engine House), Thursday, February 15, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 2 (Masonic Hall), Saturday, February 24, from 12 M. to 10 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 3 (Engine Hall), Friday, February 9, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M., and Wednesday, February 21, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 4 (Engine Hall, Nash's Corner), Tuesday, February 20, from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 5 (Engine House) Monday, February 5, and Friday, February 23, from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock P. M.

PRECINCT 6 (Engine Hall), Wednesday, February 7, and (G. A. R. Hall) Monday, February 19, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock P. M.

Special Notice!

Registration WILL CLOSE on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24th, at 10 o'clock P. M.

The Registrars will be in session at MASONIC HALL, PRECINCT 2, on SATURDAY, Feb. 24, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

ACTS OF 1895. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE REGISTRATION OF VOTERS. Chap. 61. Section 2. Every male person moving into a city or town subsequently to the first day of May, and claiming the right to vote at an election and desiring to be registered by the registrars of voters, shall appear before the board of assessors, accompanied by two witnesses who shall testify under oath that they are registered voters of the ward or town in which he desires to be registered, and who shall also testify under oath to the truth of the statement of the applicant in regard to his being a resident of the city or town for the six months next preceding the election at which he claims the right to vote. The assessors shall give the applicant a certificate stating that he has complied with the provisions of this section.

The Board of Assessors will be in session at the above meetings.

DAVID S. MURRAY,
JOHN A. RAYMOND,
BENJAMIN F. SMITH,
CHARLES A. CARPENTER,
44-46 Registrars of Voters of Weymouth.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. Probate Court.

TO the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of

JOHN P. LOVELL,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased, testate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration with the will annexed, on the estate of said deceased not already administered, to George L. Wentworth of Weymouth, or some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in Weymouth, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all devisees and legatees named in said will, seven days at least before said court.

Witness, JAMES H. FLINT, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

44-46 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

TO all persons interested in the trusts under the will of

JOHN P. LOVELL,

late of Weymouth, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by George L. Wentworth of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, that he may be appointed trustee under the will of said deceased, which has been proven in said court.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Weymouth Gazette, a newspaper published in said Weymouth, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

44-46 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate not already administered of FREEMAN CURTIS late of Weymouth in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

44-46 CHARLES S. CURTIS, Adm. d. b. n.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of HANNAH M. CURTIS, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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PA'S CALENDAR.

It came by post—addressed to Pa—
A gorgeous work of art,
Where painter's brush and poet's pen
Contributed a part.
"In all the stores," wrote Arabelle,
"No finer could be found;
"And now, dear Pa, you need not have
Old almanacs around."

And Pa just held it gingerly
And gazed with timid awe,
Then placed it in the envelope
And tucked it in a drawer;
But when the rest had gone to bed,
He stole out by himself,
And took the musty almanacs
From off the kitchen shelf.

They covered all the stretch of years,
Back to Love's sweet springtide,
When to his humble home he brought
An angel to preside.
And each one chronicled a date
Which Time had not effaced;
A register of joy and pain
Upon the margin traced.

The births, the marriages, the deaths,
They followed, one by one—
Dear little lives whose light went out
Ere they had scarce begun.
And on the last—all grief seemed small
This greater grief beside—
Oh, saddest, loneliest day of all,
The day that Mother died!

They found him in the morning there,
Beside the chimney-place,
Still holding fast the almanac,
A smile upon his face.
He had no need to measure time
In that Century far away,
Where a day is as a thousand years,
A thousand years a day.

—Anna B. Patten, in Minneapolis Housekeeper.

CAUGHT BY THE ICE

By Charles H. Heustis.

IT WAS the coldest kind of weather. The shores of Long Island and Connecticut were covered with snow. The bays and inlets were filled with ice. Broken by the rise and fall of the tide, it made great winrows along the beach and choked the mouths of the streams.

Even Long Island sound was filled with immense cakes of floating ice, until navigation was seriously impeded. Rarely had the captains of coasters, who were familiar with the sound, experienced such a continued cold snap. They rubbed their tingling ears and blew upon their frost-bitten fingers as they kept a lookout for the icy obstructions.

The freezing weather played fantastic tricks upon the vessels.

Wherever a drop of water struck it congealed. Cordage and standing rigging were covered with a coating of crystal, very beautiful to look at but dangerous to the mariners. Even the great passenger steamers that ran between New York and Stonington, Fall River and Newport plowed along looking like huge icebergs. Their pilots kept a sharper watch than usual upon the lights along shore and kept their ears open for danger signals.

One of the most dangerous points along the entire sound was a reef of rocks making out from the Connecticut coast. At the very end stood a lighthouse, built upon iron piles driven into the hard ledge. At low water the reef was exposed, but at high tide it was completely covered. Like a giant sentry the tower stood out of the water, appearing for all the world as if it rested on nothing more substantial than the waves which washed its base.

The tall pile of granite was a dismal sight from sea or shore, but in reality it was cozy and comfortable within. There were rooms in it just as there are in an ordinary house, and Keeper David Rollins and his wife lived there contentedly all the year round, with an assistant to help tend the lenses. Another member of the family was Raymond Rollins, their son, a sturdy boy, who took to the queer habitation naturally enough and thought it rare fun to live practically on an island.

In summer life in the tall tower was not so bad. There was a cool sea breeze continually blowing, and if fish were wanted all that was necessary was to throw a line off the ledge and a fresh breakfast was awaiting them. Then there was a boat always at command, and half an hour's sturdy pulling would take the oarsmen into the little harbor inclosed by the reef and to the town at the end of the bay. Whenever possible Raymond would row ashore and attend school. There was a novelty about this that pleased him. Besides, he was looked upon with a certain awe by the children, and when the great storms shook their own comfortable houses they would think of the boy in the granite tower and wonder if he were frightened.

It was seldom that Raymond missed going ashore in summer or during the mild months of the spring and fall, but in winter it was quite a different thing. Then the fierce gales that occasionally swept the coast blew up a heavy sea and made the attempt dangerous. Then life in the confined limits of the lighthouse became monotonous, for there was nothing to do but clean the lamps, see that they were lighted at sundown and extinguished at sunrise and carefully cover the lenses from the rays of the sun by day.

For three days now Ray had been confined to the tower. He watched the vessels in the distance, and was so expert that he could pick out all the regular coasters as far as his eyes could reach. The excessive cold snap fortunately was not accompanied by a gale, so the sea was comparatively smooth, but the ice was thicker than he had ever seen it.

It was towards the end of the third day and the boy was getting restless. He longed to get ashore to "stretch his legs," as he termed it.

"What is the matter, father, are you ill?" he asked, noticing at length that the keeper's face was paler than usual.

"I am afraid your father is going to have another one of his bad spells," said his mother, anxiously. "The doctor told him to take a dose of that medicine," she added, nodding towards a bottle that stood on a mantle, "if there were symptoms of another attack, but it is all gone and there is no prospect of getting any more just at present, I fear."

"Well, I don't know," said Ray, thoughtfully. He walked over to a window and looked out. On all sides was a field of ice.

"Job wanted to try to reach shore, but I wouldn't let him," remarked the keeper.

"I was willing to make the attempt, though," added the assistant.

"Yes, I know you were, but it is too late now. It is almost night."

"I don't believe that ice is solid, and if anyone could get through it I could," said Ray. "Suppose I try it."

"No, no; the ice is packed too tightly. I wouldn't hear to it," declared his father, emphatically.

"There goes a tug into the harbor. Look! she is making a channel," cried Ray. "I can go ashore easy enough."

The keeper turned pale and sunk into a chair. He pressed his hand to his head as if in pain.

"There! you have got to have that medicine, and that's all there is about it," exclaimed Ray.

"I do feel as if it would save me from a fit of sickness," groaned the sufferer, "but—"

"Oh! never mind the buts. I am going. Job, you mind the lamps till I get back. Come and help me get the boat into the water."

The keeper protested feebly, but Ray was so confident that he could reach shore in safety that he gave in at last.

The boat hung from davits out of the reach of the waves, but it was easily lowered into the water and Ray, descending the iron ladder cautiously, let himself into the light craft. Without much difficulty he forced his way through the cakes of ice until the channel was reached, and then, following in the wake of the tug, succeeded in reaching the wharf.

It was a hard pull and the boy was tired, when he made the boat fast, but he would have time to rest while getting the medicine, and he had no doubt that the return trip could be made without any more difficulty than he had experienced in coming ashore.

But in this he was mistaken, as he soon discovered.

When Ray left the lighthouse the tide was at its full and the ice nearly stationary. But now the tide had turned and was running out. The motion of the water had started the great cakes, and the result was that the channel was entirely obliterated. The boy was not pulled a quarter of a mile before the ice began to settle in all about him, requiring all his strength to move it. This work was fatiguing, and he was wet with perspiration, in spite of the cold air, before he realized it.

To add to the difficulties night was coming on rapidly, and suddenly the great star of light flashed forth from the granite tower, warning all vessels of the dangerous reef. He stopped to look at it for a minute, then picked up the oars again.

"Come, this won't do at all," he said to himself. "I must do better than this, or I shall not get home to-night."

Ahead of him was a little space of what appeared to be clear water. He bent to the oars, and, with a vigorous tug, sent the boat spinning ahead. In another minute he was sprawling in the bottom. The bow had struck a piece of ice with terrible force, and a sharp point had pierced a hole through which the water was beginning to bubble. With his handkerchief he partially stopped the leak, but not entirely, and then tried to row on again. But this time the boat utterly refused to move. It was fast in the ice. All about him were the ice cakes, driven together by the action of the tide, and there was nowhere a loophole of escape. For the first time he realized his position and sunk back in the boat in despair.

Half a mile away, as near as he could judge, stood the lighthouse. He lifted his voice and shouted until he was hoarse. Then the utter uselessness of it was apparent, for even if his father should hear him he could do nothing. There was no other boat, and a rescue from that quarter was out of the question.

"What shall I do?" The words that his thoughts had formed escaped involuntarily from his lips, and they almost startled him, so lonesome did they seem away out there, amid the floating ice. He was gradually drifting out to sea, and before long would be on the broad sound. But there was no help for him, and he found himself wondering what the end would be.

Up in the great tower he knew that his father was at that moment fretting about him. He gazed at the light in silence, and tried to picture the loved ones and what they were doing. Then he found himself shivering. Oh! how cold he was. Overheated by his exercise, the freezing weather chilled him to the bones. The water, too, was washing about the bottom of the boat, and he felt around in the darkness for a tin dipper to bail. How icy every drop was! His fingers felt as if they must turn into icicles, so numb were they.

Suddenly the fog bell in the tower pealed out. What could it mean? Was it for him? He smiled grimly, for what good could it possibly do? Still it cheered him, for it showed that he was not forgotten.

Hark! There was a steamer out there in the sound. Ray gave a little cry of joy. Why had he not thought of it? She was bound into the harbor. Yes, it was a steamer, for he could hear the sound of her paddle wheels. Presently they stopped. Was her captain trying to make out the signal from the lighthouse? If so, he did not succeed, for in a minute or two she proceeded on her way. She rounded the reef and headed into the bay. Then it was that Ray discovered that he was far out of the channel, for the steamer was giving him a wide berth. He waited until she got nearly abreast, and then, summoning all his strength, shouted for help. Again and again he lifted his voice but all in vain. No one heard him, and half fainting from exhaustion and despair he sunk down into the boat.

The water washing over his feet brought him to his senses. It was terribly cold and he was chilled through and through. His feet were nearly frozen and his hands were almost without feeling. He tried to stagger up, but could hardly stand. He looked about him, and with a cry of surprise and joy found the lighthouse close to him. Almost over his head gleamed its light. He had been carried towards it by the current while half unconscious.

Once more he lifted a cry for help and this time a cheery voice came down from aloft:

"Aye, aye, I hear you!"

It was the assistant keeper.

"Oh, Job, is that you?" cried Ray.

"Aye, aye, boy. Are you all right?"

"All right; but hurry, Job, for I'm drifting out to sea."

The boat had struck an eddy which was rapidly hurrying it around the point. Ray quickly saw the new danger. What was to be done? He dared not wait for assistance, for before Job could get to the foot of the ladder he would be beyond reach. He looked about him for help.

At the very foot of the tower the receding tide had left a bit of the jagged reef exposed. If he could grasp that he would be safe. But between him and it were the floating cakes of ice. Could he reach it?

Grasping the painter of the boat in his left hand he stood upon the thwart of the life boat and sprang boldly forward. The ice gave way under him and he fell, the drifting cakes parting and thrusting him under. But his fingers had just reached the rock, and, numbed with cold though they were, clutched the jagged stone. But it was only for an instant. Then a huge cake struck him on the back of the head, and all became dark.

When Ray recovered his senses he was lying in his own bed in the lighthouse and wondering how he got there. His mother was bending over him and smiling through her tears.

"There, you mustn't talk, my boy," his father said as he began to ask questions. "You have had a terrible time of it, and it will be a great wonder if you get over this without a serious illness. Try to go to sleep and don't bother yourself to-night."

"Nonsense!" replied Ray. "You don't think I mind a little ducking like that, do you? Tell me how I happened to be fished out."

"Job did it. He caught you just as you were going under. He saved your life."

Ray was silent for a moment, and then he said, solemnly: "I never want another adventure like that as long as I live. But I saved the medicine," he added with a smile. "I told you I could get it, and I kept my word."—Golden Days.

LONDON BRIDGES.

An Estate Which Was Created Seven Centuries Ago Maintains Them.

The history of the Bridge House estates dates back to the twelfth century. As is pointed out by Mr. J. E. Tuit, M. Inst. C. E., in his work descriptive of the Tower bridge, contributions toward the cost of the London bridge were made about the year 1176 by the king and by generous citizens, and for its maintenance lands were bequeathed, certain monks being charged with the services in the chapel erected over the tenth pier, and the revenues applied to keeping the bridge in repair. "The money thus collected formed the nucleus of a fund that exists at the present day. The lands with which the bridge was endowed have become of greatly increased value, and are now known as the Bridge House estates."

To use the exact words employed in some of the old city documents the Bridge House estates consist of properties granted "by kings of England and charitable and well disposed persons for the maintenance and support of London bridge," and some of the grants and conveyances held by the corporation, which for hundreds of years have administered the estates in trust, are dated as far back as 1282 and 1288. So successful have these lands been developed that in modern times they have enabled the corporation to purchase Southwark bridge after spending a large sum in freeing it from the toll exacted by the private company by which it was constructed, to erect Blackfriars bridge, and, finally, to build the Tower bridge at a cost of £1,250,000. And all this has been accomplished without cost to the ratepayers.—London Telegraph.

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A CLEARANCE SALE OF WRAPPERS.

Next week we shall commence the clean-up of this season's wrappers. We shall give every garment that has out-stayed its welcome, an invitation to leave by cutting the prices,—not because they are old or poor or out of style; but simply because our Spring patterns are arriving and are clamoring for more room,—so out they go,—some at a third off and the very best ones at a quarter off their regular price.

Wrappers
One large lot of odd garments, some in Percale; others Flannelette, some with flounces, some plain and trimmed with braid, a few with fancy yokes and reveres. Most of the sizes are here in one kind or another. The majority sold for 98c. To close them out **69c**

Wrappers
This lot is composed of garments that sold for $1.25 to $1.50. Part are a heavy Flannelette, others Percale, all nicely trimmed with braid and some have a flounce. All sizes. To close them out **98c**

Wrappers
These are similar in quality to those above, but are made with fancy reveres over shoulders and are gathered in the back. These are a Spring style. To close **98c**

Wrappers
These are an extra nice wrapper, made of fine quality Percale, trimmed with braid and have a chambray yoke. They are the regular $1.50 quality. To close **$1.25**

Wrappers
One lot of new Spring Wrappers, made in the latest styles with gathered back and Spanish flounces. These will be good value a little later, at $1.50 But we shall run this one lot at **$1.25**

Wrappers
One lot of extra heavy Flanelette, trimmed with baby ribbon. Made with flounce and cut full over the hips. Sold for $1.98. To close **$1.69**

Children's Dresses
Made of Scotch Plaid, nicely lined. Cut from 98c to **89c**

Wrappers
This lot comprises some of the daintiest Wrappers we have in the store. Made from good quality Percales and Flannelettes, trimmed with ruffles of Cashmere and edged with braid. These were mostly marked $1.89. To close them out **$1.59**

Children's Dresses
These will be found in our wrapper department, Little folks dresses are good all the year, but we have marked many of them down so as to make it worth your while to inspect them now.

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Choice Brands of FLOUR a Specialty. Complete Stock of Best Goods at Bottom Prices. Prompt Delivery.
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If your have a pocket knife that makes you tired every time you try to use it, a regular "toad sticker" with pot metal blades that neither stay shut, stay open or stay sharp, then we know you did not buy it here. Our stock of cutlery is complete in every detail.

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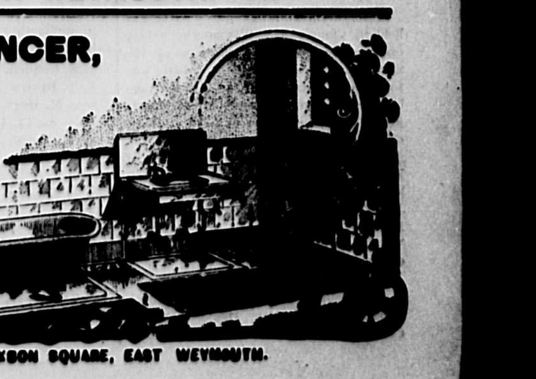

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ENTERED AT THE POST OFFICE AT WEYMOUTH, MASS., AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER.

FRIDAY, FEB. 16, 1900.

The hearing on the bill concerning the bridges comes up before the committee on counties on the 27th at 10 o'clock. It is hoped that many will attend in the interest of this measure which is of large importance to Weymouth, Braintree and Hingham.

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It is becoming more and more apparent that the British have a tough job in the subjugation of the Boers. It is also becoming more apparent that the sympathy of Americans is divided but with the balance perhaps in favor of the Boers.

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The ice men are afraid that they wont get any ice, but we have heard of six weeks' sleighing in March. Most of us would be happy to get off with an entire winter as mild as this has been but we are likely to strike a cold snap and severe snow storms even yet.

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In Australia they give the natives mud baths to cure them of fevers. We don't have to go to Australia as a pretty good mud bath can be obtained in crossing Commercial street anywhere between the depot and Washington square. It is understood that a petition is to be put in to the selectmen to have an article in the warrant for the repair of this street which, with its heavy teaming is in perhaps worse condition than any other street in town.

A. W. B.

Attorney-General Knowlton is no doubt a very nice man and might make a good governor but is it not a little early to nominate him for governor in 1903 as was done at the meeting of the Middlesex Club Wednesday night?

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Our friend Mr. Mellen of Worcester is getting anxious again as to the future of Massachusetts senior member of the United States senate and has repeated his tactic of last year by submitting a resolution endorsing Mr. Hoar. On the face of it the resolution may be as innocent as a pink faced baby, but back of the innocent mask there is politics and it would be well to let the resolution rest until the other 1300 measures before the Legislature are disposed of.

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Evangelist Sandford says he left standing behind the bat in base ball because there was not excitement enough in it. He might have tried umpiring and found what he wanted there.

M. E. H.

Choral Society's Concert.

The grand concert at Braintree, on Friday evening of last week, was a decided success. Upwards of four hundred were present, despite the damp, rainy weather. The chorus, under Mrs. Martha Dana Shepard, leader, sang with precision and musical effect. "The Holy City" was given. The soloists were Miss Marguerite Morse, soprano; Mrs. Helen Allen Hunt, contralto; Mr. H. W. Scanlon, tenor; Dr. Geo. B. Rice, baritone. The ladies' quartette consisted of Mrs. Frazier and Miss Lang of Braintree and Mrs. Worster and Miss Gutterson of Weymouth. A trio was rendered by Mrs. Frazier, Mrs. Worster and Miss Lang. Each number was heartily applauded.

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED.

Ex-Postmaster Dwyer Remembered by Friends.

Ex-Postmaster John F. Dwyer was very pleasantly surprised at his home on Washington street Friday evening last by a number of friends who called unexpectedly to aid him in observing his thirty-eighth birthday.

Mr. Dwyer was away from home when the guests arrived but a messenger hastened his return, and as he entered the house he was greeted with three cheers by the members of Hose 3 and Hook & Ladder 3 of the Weymouth Fire Department. The surprise of Mr. Dwyer was so complete that, as he said, he was unable to find words to express it. The company then adjourned to an adjoining room, where Daniel Donovan in well chosen words and in behalf of the firemen and others, presented Mr. Dwyer with a handsome roll-top desk and chair. Mr. Dwyer responded feelingly and then immediately proceeded to establish a reputation as an entertainer, in which direction he succeeded admirably.

The evening was most enjoyably passed with vocal and instrumental music, games and dancing, after which a collation was served. The guests left for their homes at a late hour, after having wished Mr. Dwyer many happy returns of the day and congratulated him upon his ability as a host.

HURDY GURDY PARTY.

Div. 6, A. O. H. Entertains in Clapp's Hall.

A well attended hurdy gurdy party was held in Clapp's hall Weymouth, Friday evening last under the auspices of the members of Div. 6, A. O. H. Music was furnished by Marie Grosse with her tambourine and Peter Grosse with the hurdy gurdy, and dancing was enjoyed until one o'clock by about fifty couples.

The floor was under the direction of Daniel J. Callahan, assisted by the following corps of aids: Dennis Cleary, James McDonald, Thomas Spillane, Peter Burns, Thomas Shea, Patrick Coleman, William Burnes, Thomas Coyle, Charles O'Connor, and John Daley.

The committee of arrangements was composed of Timothy White, Patrick Coleman, Henry Kiley, Daniel Donovan, Charles O'Connor and William Callahan.

Obituary—Stephen Cain.

No death has occurred in East Weymouth in a long time which was more of a surprise and caused a deeper gloom in the community than that of Stephen Cain which took place at his home on Cain avenue last Saturday night.

Monday he was in his apparent health, devoted the day to Mrs. Cain, who was seriously ill, and visited his daughter and grandchildren at Braintree. Tuesday morning he was not feeling well but no serious apprehensions were entertained. Wednesday the disease had assumed the most alarming form of typhoid pneumonia. His daughter Angie at Providence was sent for and everything possible was done to relieve the sufferer, but all to no avail, and Saturday night the dark shadow fell on the home and the community.

Mr. Cain was a son of Stephen and Sarah (Rice) Cain and was born in East Weymouth Feb. 29, 1840. In the village that gave him birth he grew up to be loved and respected by all who knew him, his genial, social disposition winning as friends all who came in touch with him either in social or business life.

Musical circles and organizations found in him a most earnest supporter, his principal fields being the Weymouth Band and the choir of the Congregational Church. At the time of his death he had seen a longer continuous service in the band than any member now connected with it and was relied upon as the strongest factor in keeping together this ancient organization. From the meetings of the choir he was seldom absent and there were few church services in which his voice was not heard.

When in the dark day of the Civil War his country called for volunteers, he enlisted in the 56th Mass. Reg't. and saw many a hard battle and long march, and through this service was an active member of Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R.

Orphans Hope Lodge, F. and A. M., found in him a good member and a faithful attendant at its meetings.

Pilgrim Lodge, K. of H., was an institution which he early joined and he was a good promoter of the work in which it is engaged.

Forty years ago Mr. Cain married Sara E., daughter of Samuel Pratt, and while he has been associated with the above organizations, he has not been unmindful of his home and in it he found his real enjoyment and pleasure, and there he will be missed the most by a wife and two daughters, Miss Angie Cain, now of Providence, and Mrs. Laurens Maynard of Braintree.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday and while weather conditions were most unfortunate, a large number of people attended to pay a last tribute of respect. A short service was held at his late home and then to the music of the band to which he had been so faithful, and under escort of Orphans Hope Lodge, F. and A. M.; Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R.; and Pilgrim Lodge, K. of H., the remains were conveyed to the Congregational Church where further services were held as follows: Organ voluntary, A. M. Raymond. Singing by the choir, with T. H. Emerson conductor, "Thy Will be done." Reading of scripture by the pastor, Rev. F. A. Poole. Eulogy by Rev. Daniel Evans. Choir, "I cannot always trace the way." Prayer, Rev. F. A. Poole. Choir, "Abide with Me." The above services were followed with Masonic burial ritual with Joseph Chase, W. M., and M. E. Hawes, chaplain, in connection with which Miss Ella May Raymond gave a fine solo, "Oh rest in the Lord," from Elijah.

The remains were conveyed to Fairmount cemetery and placed in a vault in the family lot, Bradford Hawes of the G. A. R. offered prayer, volleys were fired, taps sounded by Bugler George A. White, and the husband, father, citizen and soldier was left at rest.

Many floral tributes testified of the love and esteem in which the departed was held.

The acting bearers were Arthur and Edwin P. Tirrell, Samuel and Albert Burrell, Stephen and George Burgoyne, all nephews of Mr. Cain. Honorary bearers were Bela P. French and H. L. Humphrey, of Orphans Hope Lodge; C. H. Bicknell and George L. Newton, of Reynold's Post, G. A. R.; Albert J. Osgood and George A. Dailey, of Pilgrim Lodge, K. of H.

The Woman's Relief Corps and G. A. R., then in session in Boston, sent two delegates and a beautiful floral tribute.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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George M. Hoyt, East Weymouth.
A. R. Dickinson, South Braintree.

Bay View Association.

A meeting of owners of shore property at Bay View, North Weymouth, was held at South Weymouth, Monday evening, for the purpose of considering matters of common interest. A permanent organization, to be known as the Bay View Association was formed with the general object and purpose of an improvement society. Judge L. A. Cook was elected president; Rev. H. C. Alvord, secretary and A. O. Crawford, treasurer. A number of committees consisting of the the officers and the following members: John A. Holbrook, Frederick Cate and Frank W. Holbrook, were appointed on sanitation, fire protection, a new float, etc.

It is the intention of the organization to make this new and pleasant summering place still more attractive. Its high ground, fine outlook over the harbor, bathing, sailing and fishing together with its accessibility from Boston and neighboring places make it very desirable. Already several more cottages than last year, are in prospect. The new Bay View street, by the Fair View hotel gives easy and convenient approach.

"I think I would go crazy with pain were it not for Chamberlain's Pain Calm" writes Mr. W. H. Stapleton, Herminie, Pa. "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for several years and have tried remedies without number, but Pain Balm is the best medicine I have got hold of." One application relieves the pain. For sale by

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What Was Killing Him.

Beggar—"Will you please give me six-pence, sir? I'm on my way home to die?" Gentleman (handing him the money)—"I don't mind giving you sixpence for so worthy a purpose as that, but your breath smells horribly of whisky." "I know it does, sir; whisky's what's killing me."—London Topical Times.

GENERAL NEWS.

Central House, Rockland, destroyed by fire.

Rhode Island Legislature adjourns to April.

14,000 cigar markers in Havana are on a strike.

Another serious defeat of the British at Ladysmith.

Ex-Gov. Wolcott to spend a long vacation in Europe.

Fire in the Brooklyn Navy Yard causes a loss of $100,000.

A mother shoots her son at Youngstown, Ohio, for an assault.

Carey's bill to label lobbyists at the State House defeated.

British meet with severe loss of men and material at Ladysmith.

Newspapers and periodicals in France suspend for want of paper.

Boston capitalists to establish a ship yard at New London, Conn.

Last honors paid to Major-General Lawton at Arlington cemetery.

Mill hands at Fall River end their grievance with increased pay.

Offensive and defensive alliance formed between England and Portugal.

Big meeting in Lowell and at New London, Conn., in aid of the Boers.

William H. Beard, the celebrated painter of animals, is dying in New York.

Portland letter carrier gets fifteen months in jail for stealing letters.

Steamer Gate City goes ashore on Long Island, crew and passengers saved.

Bodies of 200 dead soldiers from the Philippines arrive in San Francisco.

Government refunding three, four and five per cent. bonds at two per cent.

Schools in Tremont are obliged to close on account of the prevalence of diphtheria.

After a sixty days' trial Molineaux found guilty of murder in the first degree.

Mrs. Bertha H. Palmer of Chicago, to be a commissioner at the Paris exposition.

High water and ice cause a serious loss of shipping and wharf property at Buffalo.

Scholars of Troy High school strike because the board would not keep Lincoln's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doherty of Taunton celebrate the fiftieth year of married life.

Margaret Deas, a two-year old child of Taunton eats matches and dies in great agony.

Newgate prison, London, the most noted prison in the world, to be torn down.

J. Walter Kennedy, celebrated oarsman and athlete, dies at his home in South Boston.

Thomas R. Wiley crushed to death while coupling cars on the Grand Trunk road at Portland, Me.

Rev. John Wesley Merrill, leader of the Methodist church, dies at Concord, N. H., at the age of 92.

Big celebration of Lincoln's day at Portland and a new club named for the great emancipator.

Henry H. Rogers will give the Unitarian society at Fairhaven a church building and parochial residence.

Twenty-five per cent. of the students of Yale are in training for athletic events of the coming season.

A fusilade of pistol shots on the streets in Mountain Grove, Mo., one man killed and others wounded.

Postmaster at Wilmuth, Texas, resigns for fear of assassination and the President orders the office closed.

Rep. Geo. R. R. Rivers of Milton dies with but two days' illness. He was prominent in all town matters.

People in New York would not pay twenty-five cents to hear Wm. J. Bryan and he talked to empty benches.

Ex-Secretary Thompson dying at Terre Haute, Ind. He was a member of Congress in 1841 and is 91 years of age.

The American Axe & Tool Co. to concentrate its works at a point near Pittsburg with headquarters in that city.

William H. Green, principal of Princeton Theological Seminary and a famous writer, passes away at the age of 75.

Mrs. Theodore Thomas leaves Chicago sooner than to pay $305 taxes and will convey her property to Massachusetts.

Sec. Gage receives in an anonymous envelope $400 to be turned into the conscience fund of the United States treasury.

Three boys get through the ice on Charles River. James Bergen rescues two of them but the other was drowned.

Cronin's Store Entered.

The store of William Cronin was burglarized sometime between closing time Friday night and the time of opening Saturday morning. About $10 worth of cigars, tobacco, etc., was stolen. Entrance was affected by means of a small window in the rear.

An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. EDWARDS, Publisher of The Review, Wyant, Ill. For sale by

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Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

NOTICE!

The Warrant for Town Meeting Will be Closed MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19th

And all persons desiring to have Articles inserted therein must hand them to the Selectmen on or before that day.

Per Order Selectmen,
BRADFORD HAWES,
Clerk.

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HINTS TO FARMERS.

This department is made up from selections from all parts of the country and efforts are made to get items adopted to our soil and conditions; any experience of our home farmers and gardeners sent in will be acceptable.

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Don't misuse the tree agent. Size him up. The honest agent may bless you. He is a missionary in a good cause.

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The orchard should be sprayed once before the leaves come out. A heavier dose can be given then to the fungi than later, without damage to the tree.

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Scions. Cut scions now and place them in a cool damp cellar, or cover with sand, that they may be ready for use.

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The mulch from strawberry plants should be removed early if early berries are wanted; but where late ones are desired, keep the mulch on longer. Do not take it all off, simply rake it loose so the plants can see through.

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It is just as well to begin at once the use of insect powder on the sitting hens, and tobacco stems in the nest. A few warm days will start the lice crop.

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Latest official figures report 65,000 acres, cultivated land in Newfoundland. The chief products are potatoes, turnips and other root crops, hay, barley and oats.

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Cattle like different kinds of food the same day. Working oxen, especially, but all neat cattle, will thrive better for being supplied with good beds of litter, as they will lie warmer and easier, and keep cleaner.

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Oat hay is the best shape for feeding oats, and, if it can be afforded, it makes a grand, good feed for the cow, as it does for any other animal.

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It is a universal feeling all over our state, in the minds of our young men and women, that the pursuit of agriculture is not as profitable, genteel, or honorable, as most other kinds of business. This springs from a want of knowledge of its true character.

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The fact is, that in most parts of New England, farming, in one or other of its branches, is a good business—a business which gives a sure support to the man who is willing to live in habits of industry and economy, a business which places him far above the masses of the people in any other country, a position, which illustrates, as has nowhere else been done, the true dignity of labor.

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Arrange where your crops shall be, the corn, the oats, the potatoes, and see that seeds of all the kinds you intend to use are in sufficient quantity and in good condition. Make a plan of the garden, marking out your beds for flowers (for our readers cultivate flowers) and kitchen vegetables; for beans, peas, and the melon and cucumber hills.

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If the object of a dairy be to make cheese, cows should be bred and selected that give milk rich with curd; if the object be butter, those that give a light milk will produce most; but if the object being the greatest profit in selling milk, such cows should be selected as will give the most milk and from which the least butter and cheese can be made from a given quantity.

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If it is desirable to have potatoes seven to ten days ahead of those produced by ordinary field culture, place uncut tubers, blossom end up, in shallow boxes filled with sand. About one-fourth the length of the potato should protrude from the sand. Put the boxes in subdued light in a temperature of 50 or 60 degrees. From twenty-five to thirty days after the potatoes are thus started take the tubers from the sand and place in a field in the same position they occupied in the box.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects the management of the paper distinctly disclaiming all responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

Weymouth, Mass., Feb. 13, 1900.

To the Editor of the Weymouth Gazette:

Sir:—I notice mention of Stephen Cain, in the Boston Herald, saying he was one of the two surviving members of the old Weymouth Band, now the old Weymouth Band is not quite so near extinct, but at this present time is quite lively as I will show. There are two members who helped form the band in 1843, viz.: L. H. Loud and Edmund S. Hunt. The writer of this feels still quite alive. From this time until 1850 I find C. Austin Richards now of Brooklyn, N. Y., C. Loring Stetson, W. W. Raymond of East Weymouth, Quincy Torrey of South Weymouth; then comes F. H. Bowditch, Leander Curtis, Albert and Andrew Burrell, Ezra Tirrell, Francis P. and Richard Loud. The above were all members up to the year 1857, when the writer withdrew from the band. My friend Francis H. Tilden, some time in our early days, but not on the band records, played I think an orphelyde, but I have no remembrance of him only on one occasion and that was a children's concert at Tremont Temple, Boston. It was a bad performance, was he the occasion of it? Up to 1858 and 9 the band had its location at the Landing, meeting in the Engine hall. At this time Amos S. White, myself and others withdrew leaving the members mostly in East Weymouth. The band at once located in that part of the town, at this time many young members came in, and for 30 years it enjoyed a fine reputation, a great improvement on the old band of the 40s and 50s. My old friend A. S. White worked untiringly for fifteen years in the interests of the same, giving time and money, without him it could not have existed.

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Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee. 15c. and 25 cts per package. Sold by all grocers.

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To Cure Hoarseness in One Day

Take Cleveland's Lung Healer, 25 cents. If it fails to cure, we will cheerfully refund your money. (Trial size free.)

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Elbridge Nash, South Weymouth.
L. A. Cook, East Weymouth.

Sequel.

The following poem which we publish by request is a sequel to the very popular men's supper given by the men of the M. E. Church, East Weymouth, last week. A valentine party was held in the vestry Monday night and the following valentine tells its own story:

The young men at the East, their plans did make
A supper to serve on February the eighth.
They all took hold, both small and great,
And carried it through, right up to date.

Now I'm not sorry to that supper I went,
For the quarter it cost me, I call well spent.
It puzzled me then, it puzzles me yet,
How you were ready to call us at the time that was set.

I had had my doubts until that night,
Thinking perhaps you would not do it right.
But my fears were removed the very first minute,
And I have made up my mind that the men *are right in it*.

Let me say right here, it was a well planned motion
To seat four hundred with so little commotion.
It took men of nerve, and with clear heads too,
To undertake such a thing and to carry it through.

Well! when once seated down, a glance we did take
On great platters of turkey, nice, juicy and tender,
On celery, rolls, fancy puddings and cake,
The who'e was a sight we shall always remember.

But of all there was there, none quite took my eye,
Until Mr. Bates gave me that nice *custard pie*.
Will Mr. Mills please accept thanks for the same,
For that was the pie of very great fame.

The ladies that live down in Old Spa'n
Are talking of giving a supper again.
Come down Mr. Mills, don't stop for a rain,
For you know you'll be sure a good meal to gain.

Don't come alone, bring your wife along with you,
Get Pratt, Joy, Bearse, French and Merchant too.
Have *all* the men come, it will not be too many,
Perhaps if you do, we can make a little money.

Many such of these gatherings may we all live to see,
Is the most earnest wish of E. A. D.

There is no better medicine for the babies than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Its pleasant taste and prompt and effectual cures make it a favorite with mothers and small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds, preventing pneumonia or other serious consequences. It also cures croup and has been used in tens of thousands of cases without a single failure so far as we have been able to learn. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. In cases of whooping cough it liquefies the tough mucus, making it easier to expectorate, and lessens the severity and frequency of the paroxysms of coughing, thus depriving that disease of all dangerous consequences. For sale by

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That Unlucky Number.

"I sat down to dinner with 13 yesterday."

"Don't you consider that unlucky?"

"It was in this case. I had to pay for the whole business."—Philadelphia Press.

Bad Give-Away.

Mrs. Gadd—Did you ever notice how polite and attentive Mr. Gayfellow is to his wife?

Mrs. Gadd—Yes. Looks mighty suspicious.—N. Y. Weekly.

Without a Peer.

Jasper—Bighead is a stupid fellow, isn't he?

Jumpuppe—Stupid! Why, he isn't original enough to get off a chestnut.—Town Topics.

The Latest.

Waiter—This is the latest on boiled beef.

Patron—What is it?

Waiter—Horseless horse-radish.—Judge.

Wise Crusoe.

Silly Billy—Why did Robinson Crusoe call him Friday?

Pious Percival—To save him from the cannibals. You can't eat meat on Friday, you know.—N. Y. Journal.

New Advertisements THIS WEEK.

Matters of interest and profit to our readers.

Henry L. Kincaide & Co., 1900 bicycles.
C. Q. Bates, Washington Square waiting room.
C. A. Rice & Co., dry goods.
A. S. Jordan & Co., insurance.
J. G. Worster & Co., desirable house for sale.
Quincy Department Store, clearance sale.
Weymouth Clothing Store, marked down sale.
Derby & Thayer, millinery.
W. F. Sylvester, Columbia bicycles.

WEYMOUTH FIRE ALARM BOXES.

12—Pole, River and Parnell Sts.
13—Bradley Fertilizer Works.
15—Pole, Universalist Church.
16—Pole, Fairview House.
17—Pole, Sea and North Sts.
18—Pole, Lovell and Bridge Sts.
19—Pole, Church and North Sts.
21—Pole, Grant and High Sts.
23—Pole, Jackson Square.
24—Pole, Electric Station, private.
25—Pole, Shaw's Corner.
26—Pole, M. Sheehy & Co.
27—Pole, Bates Ave. and Broad Sts.
28—Pole, Shawmut and Lake Sts.
29—Pole, Strong & Garfield Co.
223—Pole, Commercial and Putnam Sts.
225—Pole, opposite Daniel Pratt's.
31—Pole, opposite S. W. & E. Nash's.
32—Pole, Congress and Washington Sts.
34—Engine House No. 3.
35—Pole, Prospect and Granite Sts.
36—Pole, Garfield Square.
38—Pole, corner Library.
41—Pole, Lovells Corner.
42—Pole, opposite G. S. Hunt's.
43—Pole, Nash's Corner.
45—Pole, cor. Park and Main Sts.
46—Pole, Town House.
47—Pole, opposite Phillip Fraher's.
51—Pole, near Otis Torrey's.
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54—Pole, near Depot.
56—Pole, Cor. Pond and Thicket Sts.
57—Pole, May's Corner.

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23—Quincy Ave. and Commercial St.
24—Elliot St.
25—Allen St. and Commercial St.
26—Allen St. and Shaw St.
29—Front St. and Commercial St.
31—Elm St. and Middle St.
32—River St. and Middle St.
34—Elm St. and Washington St.
35—West St. and Washington St.
36—Ash St. and Hollis Ave.
38—Washington St. opposite Monatiquot school.
41—Union St. and Middle St.
42—Union St. and Washington St.
43—Pearl St. and Washington St.
45—Pearl St. opposite Shoe Factory.
46—Hancock St., private, Hollingsworth.
47—Pond St., opp. A. O. Clark's house.
48—Franklin St. and Central Ave.
123—Corner Quincy Ave. and Allen St.
135—West St. and Mt. Vernon Ave.
145—Fountain St. and Pearl St.
147—Town St. and Pond St.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Weymouth High school promises to be well represented in the future at the various schools of higher education. Twenty pupils have already decided to make special effort in preparation to take the examinations in June. The larger part of these will be preliminary but several final examinations.

Last Friday the Debating Society elected new officers to serve during the remainder of the school year. The term of office is limited by the society's constitution to five months. The officers elected were: Pres., Mr. Bouldry; vice pres., Mr. Richards; sec., Miss Raymond.

The Classes of 1900 and 1902 have each purchased class pins.

We are having many visitors at the school of late. Friday, Mr. Porter, formerly of the Quincy High school but now principal of the Abington High school, Miss Burrell, who is teaching in Sharon, and Mrs. Burrell, a member of the school committee of Rockland spent the day at the school. Four Rockland High school teachers visited the school on the following Wednesday.

Appropriate exercises commemorating Washington's birthday, will be given at the school next Friday afternoon by the Freshman class.

W. S. Loud, of the Senior class, is exhibiting the working of an apparatus for noiseless telegraphy before the physics class. Mr. Loud devised and made all the instruments himself.

Supt. Thomson visited the school for a short time on Thursday.

Basket Ball.

The senior girls have won the championship of the school. The deciding game was played Tuesday.

Seniors		Sophomores
Miss McCarthy	r.f.	Miss Wentworth
Miss Mahoney	l.f.	Miss Martell
Miss Nolan	c.	Miss Ford
Miss Reide	r.g.	Miss Nash
Miss Tilden	l.g.	Miss Burrell

Referee, Miss Smith; umpires, Miss Raymond and Miss Lovell. Goals: Seniors, Miss McCarthy 4; Miss Mahoney, 3. Score: Seniors, 14; Sophomores 0.

Old Colony Club.

The regular meeting of the Old Colony Club should occur on Thursday, Feb. 22. By vote of the Club, this afternoon meeting has been given up, and the entertainment planned for that date will be given on the evening of Feb. 22, in Fogg's Opera House at the Library Fair. It will be of a patriotic nature, and is in charge of a special committee which insures its being of interest, and calls for a large attendance of the members of the Club.

Art Notes.

Boston, February 9, 1900.

A collection of oil paintings by Charles H. Woodbury is now on exhibition at our gallery.

Your attention is invited,
DOLL & RICHARDS.

2 Park Street.
Open through Wednesday, February 21.

Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services, etc., as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday morning of each week—the day before publication. Unless copy is received *each week* no announcement will appear.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (North Weymouth). Rev. Thomas H. Vincent, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday school, 11.45 a. m. Endeavor meeting at 6.15 p. m. Vestry service at 7.00. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7.30. Subject of Sunday morning sermon, "The Story of Jonah," part second. Topic of evening meeting, "Confessing Christ." A cordial invitation to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth) Frank B. Cressey, pastor. Lord's Day services: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Bible school at 12. Young people's meeting at 5.45. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7.30 p. m. Morning sermon, "Formulated Christian Experience." Evening sermon, "The Bookkeeper's Dream." Bible school lesson, "Jesus at Jacob's Well," John 4: 5-26.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. (East Braintree.) Rev. F. K. Baker, pastor. Sunday services are held as follows: Morning service, 10.30. Sabbath School, 12 m. Junior League, 5.15 p. m. Epworth League, 6.15 p. m. Praise service, 7.15 (Book used, Chorus of Praise.) Evening service 7.30. Theme, "Taken out of the Mire and Placed in the Choir." Class meeting Tuesday, 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7.30 p. m. Theme of Sunday morning sermon "Spiritual Transformation."

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Preaching in the morning at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. R. R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30. Sunday School 12. Evening service at 7 o'clock Thursday evening, 7.30. All are cordially invited

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. Frank E. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. Evening service at 7, music by the boy choir.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth) Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at 12 m. Evening service at 7.30.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, (East Weymouth). Rev. A. W. Kingsley, pastor. Morning worship and preaching at 10.30. Sunday School at noon. Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7.00 p. m. Tuesday evenings, 7.45 p. m. prayer meetings. Thursday evenings 7.45, class meetings. Holy Communion, first Sunday in every month at 2.30 p. m.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. H. S. Snyder, pastor. Morning service 10.30. Sunday School 12. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Subject of Sunday morning sermon, "Christian Conversation." All are invited to attend these services.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth) Gospel temperance meeting at 5 p. m.

OLD SOUTH CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. H. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m., morning worship 11.45, Sunday school 6 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. 7 p. m., preaching service in the church. Sermons by the pastor. All cordially invited.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth) Service at 3.00 p. m.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. Wm. Kirkby, pastor. Sunday School at 12.45. Preaching service at 2 p. m. Epworth League at 6.00. Social and Praise service at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Rev. J. B. Holland, assistant. Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

ZION'S HILL CHAPEL, (East Weymouth) Social service at 2 and 6.30 p. m.

FREE MISSION CHAPEL, (Nash). Sunday-school at 12 m. Preaching service at 1.30. Evening service at 7.30 p. m.

SECOND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth. Rev. L. W. Attwood, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday School, 12. Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth). Afternoon service 2.30. Sunday School at 1 p. m. Y. P. C. U. at 7 p m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth), Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. High Mass at 10.30 a. m. Vespers at 7.45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth). Rev. Francis A. Poole, pastor. Morning worship at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Social service at 7. p. m.

EXHIBITION AT TUFTS LIBRARY.

The Alps.

This exhibition consists of 100 photographs owned by the Appalachian Mountain Club of Boston and loaned to the Library Art Club.

These photographs were taken by Vittorio Sella, an amateur photographer who has spent many summers among the Alps. The pictures are uncommon and give "Vivid glimpses of the wonderful and unknown world of snow and ice which exists in the high Alps. Climbers have hitherto been the only ones to see these things." Snow scenery so beautifully represented has never been seen before. The exhibition will be opened Feb. 28 to continue through March 17th. These pictures have been enjoyed in many places and should attract large numbers in our town.

No more interesting innovation in a newspaper has been made in recent years than the pictorial section, which is now a fixed feature of The Boston Sunday Herald. Unlike many attempts made in the same direction, the Herald varies the character of the contents each issue in a way to create a fresh interest in it. The comic element is bright and original, and furnishes enough food for merriment to last a week. The Herald is certainly advancing in all the departments which have made it New England's greatest newspaper, and in the new departure upon which we have laid special stress. The Herald should not only win the approval of The Herald's old clientele, but attract a host of new readers, who seek a few rays of intellectual sunshine in the gray landscape of The Herald's splendid exhibition of news gathering and editorial management. The Herald is never dull, but so dignified a paper has not always been as welcome to the masses as it should now become. Those of our readers who are not acquainted with The Boston Sunday Herald as it is now made should secure next Sunday's issue.

First Come, First Served.

Don't say that you couldn't get the valuable presents offered with "Red Cross" and "Hubinger's Best" laundry starch; your grocer has them for you; ask him for a coupon book, which will enable you to get one large 10c. package of "Red Cross" starch, one large 10c. package of "Hubinger's Best" starch, with the premiums, two beautiful Shakespeare panels, printed in twelve beautiful colors, or one Twentieth Century Girl calendar, all for 5c.

The Cure that Cures Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Bronchitis and Incipient Consumption, is **OTTO'S CURE** The GERMAN REMEDY Cures throat and lung diseases. Sold by all druggists. 25&50cts.

WANTS, FOR SALE, TO LET, etc.

Four lines or less under this head, only 25 cents each insertion; each extra line 10c. Count eight words to a line.) No ads. accepted in this department unless accompanied with the cash.

FOR SALE. A good driving horse, buggy and harness. Apply to WM. HEFFERNAN, Harness Shop, Broad Street, East Weymouth. 45-46

FOR SALE. Dwelling house situated on Phillips street. House 1½ stories in height, 7 rooms; with large pantry, besides two outrooms with water closet on same floor. Basement 12x27; Howard furnace heats the whole house. Good garden, pears, apples, grapes, currants, strawberries, and cherries. Also 2 large henhouses. All in good condition. Apply to JOHN W. DALTON, Phillips street, Weymouth. 45-48

FOUND.—Wednesday, a brown and white bull terrier. Owner may have same by proving property and paying charges. Apply to A. P. BURRELL, South Weymouth, Mass. 46 1t

LOST.—An English Bull Terrier, with ears clipped. Answers to the name of Jack. No name on collar. Finder will be rewarded by returning to MR. E. W. RICHARDS, Front Street, Weymouth. 46 1t

WANTED. House, barn and from one to ten acres of land. Would exchange house in Malden and pay difference. C. H. VARNEY, 6 Kenilworth Avenue, Malden, Mass. 45-46

WANTED. People to know that it costs only 25 cents to make known their wants in this column.

Come to Washington Square

—see the exhibition of 1900 Orient Bicycles, and

Lift our Lady Leader!

More records made the "1.30" **Orient Bicycle the Leader.** Less weight will make the woman's model—**The Favorite.** Although but 22 pounds weight, it is as strong and rigid as the cumbersome kind.

SETH DAMON, Washington Square, WEYMOUTH.

"By George, woman, you've got a muscle!"
This ejaculation of astonishment came from a philosopher who lifted what a lady friend had pedalled and pushed all summer.
It was not the Lady Leader.

Our Campaign

For business, is conducted on Business Principles.

Don't Forget

That we carry a fine line of staple

Dry Goods, Small Wares and Millinery

At reasonable prices. Call and see for yourself.

BARNES & BENSON,
Vining Block, Columbian Square, South Weymouth.

Patents Sold by Us

When all others have failed.
Corporations Formed and Capital Increased.
Money Waiting to Buy Good Patents.
The largest Company covering the most territory for the sale of patented inventions.
Enclose stamp for full particulars.
NATIONAL PATENT PROMOTING CO.,
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DIED.

In Weymouth, Feb. 8, Henry Lukeman, aged 63 years, 7 months, 4 days.

In Weymouth, Feb. 9, Ellen, wife of Patrick Maguire, aged 57 years, 3 months.

In East Weymouth, Feb. 10, Stephen Cain, aged 59 years, 11 months, 1 day.

In South Weymouth, Feb. 13, Catherine, widow of David Moore, aged 74 years, 6 months, 10 days.

1900 BICYCLES.

Thousands of people are beginning now to think of the new bicycle they will ride this summer. For years it has been our custom after January 1st to open accounts with those who wish, and allow them to pay every week as much as they wish on a new wheel. By so doing, when the riding season opens they have nearly paid for their wheel. Our 1900 models are now on exhibition—50 models to select from—a genuine bicycle show in itself. The finest exhibit of High Grade Wheels in New England—Boston not excepted.

Orient, Cleveland, Dayton, Pierce, Iver Johnson, Reading, LeRoy, Geneva. Chainless Wheels, Cushion Frame Wheels, Coaster Brake Wheels. Handsome New Wheels for $25.00.

HENRY L. KINCAIDE & CO.,
Hancock Street, Quincy.
The Mammoth Store.
Open only Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings, until April 1st.

CHAS. HARRINGTON,
DEALER IN
Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear and Notions
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BOOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS.
Commercial St., Near Jackson Sq., East Weymouth.

No Man Knows Better Than
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What the PEOPLE WANT in
Dry Goods and Notions.
48 BROAD STREET, EAST WEYMOUTH.

DO YOU KNOW

That I have Dandelions in cans that are the real thing—tender, and with the flavor of Spring in them?

Do you know that Pillsbury's "Vitos" gives pleasure in the eating and life to the eater?

Do you know that you can get an elegant Gravure with two packages of "Cream of Wheat"?

CALL AND CONVINCE YOURSELF.
GORDON WILLIS,
The Columbian Square Grocer,
South Weymouth.

RUBBERS

Brains in Rubbers.

It is the HEEL of your rubber that SLIPS, that BREAKS down and WEARS out first. It is the SMOOTH heel and CLOTHING (when wet) that SUCK up WATER, MUD and SLUSH, and soil SKIRTS and TROUSERS.

Bailey's Patented Ribbed Back Rubber

by its construction PREVENTS all this, which has been proven by three years of ACTUAL TEST. Made in best quality only, in both high and low cut, to fit all shapes of shoes for MEN and WOMEN.

Men's, 90 Cents. Ladies', 65 Cents.

GEO. W. JONES,
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CHANGE THE GEOGRAPHY OF THE WORLD.
But the only change we make is to IMPROVE IF POSSIBLE our stock of
Groceries and Canned Goods.
And thanking the public for liberal patronage in the past, we hope to merit continuance of same.
EVERETT LOUD.
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LOOK AT OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT.
An A1 Ladies' $2.50 Boot for $2.25.
A Complete Line of A. F. SMITHS' Goods, Children's and Youth's Shoes of all kinds.
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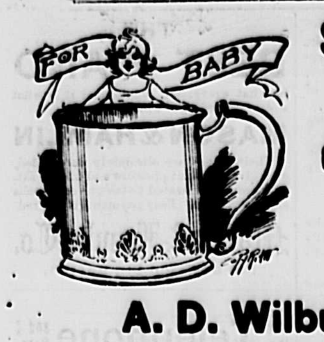

Something for Baby,

—something which it must have—is shown in our assortment of silver ware.

We have a very handsome line of

Cups for Children

in a variety of patterns. Some gold lined and heavily beaded. Some handsomely engraved, others richly chased. All are of excellent quality.

Prices range from $1.00 to $3.00

A. D. Wilbur, WATCHMAKER, JEWELER and ENGRAVER, 12 Washington St., WEYMOUTH.

For a few days.

MARK DOWN SALE

To make room for Spring Goods, at the

Weymouth Clothing Store,

BROAD STREET, EAST WEYMOUTH.

W. C. EARLE, Manager.

Coats, Pants and Vests Made to Order from **Latest Novelties and Staple Goods.**

Columbia The Standard of the World.

Chainless, models 65 and 66, $75.

Chain, models 63 and 64, $50.

Hartford, pattern 23 and 24, $35. Stormer, models 35 and 36, $35. Pennant, models 31 and 32, $25.

We shall have samples of all wheels made by the Pope Mfg. Co on hand at our store in Commercial Square, so that our customers can examine them, especially the Bevel Gear Chainless Wheel—the ideal bicycle for women—no chain, no dirt, nothing to entangle or soil the skirt.

We do all kinds of repairing in a first-class manner, at reasonable rates consistent with first-class work, with the best tools and machinery.

W. F. SYLVESTER,
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Aluminum Oil Heaters.

NO TROUBLE. NO DIRT.
NO SMELL. NO SMOKE

What a boon to woman and a comfort to man. The new Aluminum Heaters this season are the acme of perfection, both in beauty of construction and intensity of heat. They are safe, easily regulated and can be moved from room to room. A trial will convince any-one of their utility.

FORD FURNITURE COMPANY, Up-to-Date House Furnishers, **Broad St., E. Weymouth.**

Flour Sale.

This Week for SPOT CASH.

K. A. Flour,	$5.25 bbl.	70c bag
Jones Flour,	4.75 "	63c "
Success Flour,	4.50 "	63c "
Elegant Flour,	4.39 "	59c "

Three Stores!

HUMPHREY BROS.,
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WE MUST HAVE ROOM!

To make room for the coming season's trade, we are offering Bargains in MILLINERY GOODS, HOSIERY and UNDERWEAR, BLANKETS, and ALL WINTER GOODS

L. WOOD, Broad and Shawmut Streets, EAST WEYMOUTH.

Gravitate to the Center,

AND WHEN THERE GO TO

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For Groceries, Canned Goods, Select Brands of Flour, Teas, Coffee, Spices, Nuts, Figs, Raisins, Dates, and Other Fruits.

PROVIDENCE RIVER OYSTERS A SPECIALTY.

Ask Your Neighbor

If she buys her Millinery, Small Wares, etc. of us. If she does she will tell you of reliable goods, honest prices and courteous treatment. If your neighbor is jealous of her success give your orders to us—the success will then be yours. We have many pleasing articles at pleasing prices.

DERBY & THAYER, RICE BLOCK, SOUTH WEYMOUTH
Independence Square.

If there were any behind in our Baking Powder offer

Now is the time to **Catch up.**

We have **Ketchup** at the following prices:

5, 10, 12, 17 and 22c. per bottle.

We shall also do a little Oruning now by selling **Prunes** at

5, 7 and 12c. per pound.

The very best in 10 lb. boxes for $1.00.

Give us a call and see what we have.

M. C. Nash & Co.
Cor. Front and Broad Sts.

WEYMOUTH and EAST BRAINTREE

—Republican caucus tonight. General caucus Saturday night at Engine Hall, Ward 2.

—Order cut flowers of E. S. Jordan & Co.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Pierce of Webb street, entertained relatives from Taunton Monday.

—Fresh cut pinks at Jordan's.

—The celebration of Washington's birthday will be observed at the Hunt school on Friday afternoon, Feb. 23. You are most cordially invited to these exercises given by the children.

—Rev. H. S. Snyder occupied the pulpit at the First Baptist Church last Sunday morning in exchange with the pastor, Rev. F. B. Cressey.

—Cut flowers to order of E. S. Jordan & Co.

—J. H. Lawe and family have removed to Waltham, where Mr. Lawe has taken a position as superintendent in an automobile manufactory.

—Novels 5 to 10c. at Jordan's.

—The Ladies' Cemetery Improvement Association will meet with Mrs. J. F. Sheppard, Wednesday February 21st, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

—Novels 5 to 10c. at Jordan's.

—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson died Saturday. The funeral occurred Monday afternoon, Rev. H. S. Snyder officiating. The interment was at the Village cemetery.

—A suggestive poem, entitled "The Bookkeeper's Dream," has been handed Rev. Mr. Cressey by a prominent business man. with a request that he preach on it. The request will be complied with at the Weymouth Baptist Church, next Sunday evening, seven o'clock, Feb. 18th. Full sermon subject: "The Book-keeper's Dream, or the Conditions of Settlement in Full of Account between God and Man." Business men especially invited.

—Verona toilet water, also crushed roses, at Harlow's, 25c. per bottle.

—Rev. W. C Keeler of Iowa occupied the pulpit at the M. E. Church last Sunday morning as the pastor, Rev. F. K. Baker, preached and administered the Sacrament at the M. E. Church, South Braintree.

—Miss Georgia White is confined to the house by illness.

—E. Frank Worster of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited relatives and friends in town this week.

—The Ladies' Sewing Circle connected with the M. E. Church, met with Mrs. Johnson at her home on Allen street, Wednesday afternoon.

—The card tournament opened at Hose 3 house Monday evening when Rafferty and Our of the truck defeated Whitton and Phillips of the hose by a score of 5 to 4.

—Vanilla flakes at Harlow's, 25c. per pound.

—The next regular meeting of Arbutus Assembly No. 18, Pythian Sisterhood, will be held next Wednesday instead of the following Wednesday as that is the date set for the anniversary of Delphi Lodge.

—E. Russell Sanborn gave a largely attended organ recital at Roslindale.

—Mrs. and Mrs. A. A. Linton and son Edward are to make their future residence in Marian, Indiana.

—Charles Torrey had his left hand badly lacerated by a circular saw, while at work at the Ignaz Straus Co's. factory Tuesday. Dr. Virgin dressed the injury.

—Oat meal toilet soap 50c. per dozen at Harlow's.

—Read South Weymouth column now. Go to Library fair, Fogg's hall, Feb. 20, 21, 22, 23.

—Ernest Lowell has taken a position with Noyes & Kimball, Boston.

—Frank Walsh has entered the employ of Farley, Harvey & Co., Boston.

—The last of Miss Thompson's readings was held at Miss Ella Sheppard's on Tuesday. Owing to the severe rainstorm many ticket holders were unable to be present.

—In addition to the services at Trinity Chapel next Sunday, Rev. William Hyde will preach in Gardner Street Chapel, South Hingham at 2.45 p. m.

—Mrs. William Bowditch of Allen street has been ill the past week, but is now convalescent.

—Mrs. Joseph Crane is suffering from an attack of bronchitis.

—Clyde Bishop of Kentville, N. S., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Albert R. Hobart.

—Old fashioned chocolates at Harlow's, 25c. per pound.

Lord Family Recital.

A banjo, mandolin and guitar recital was given in Lincoln hall Wednesday evening by the Lord Family of Quincy, assisted by Master Theodore Muer, Mr. Lord's famous boy pupil, and Miss Mary A. Moran, reader, graduate of New England College of Oratory. An elaborate and interesting program was furnished. The numbers of the Lord Family were enthusiastically received, while the work of Mr. Lord's pupils reflected much credit upon their instructor.

Miss Moran's selections were well rendered and met with the approval of the audience. The ushers were Miss Carrie Skilton, Miss Angeline Gutterson, Miss Bernice Wright and Miss Josephine Wright.

Puritana Whist.

The members of the Puritana Whist Club were pleasantly entertained by Miss Edith Hunt at her home on Sterling street Wednesday evening. The first prize was secured by Miss Elsie R. Litchfield, and second by Mrs. Richard Rollins.

Recital by W. W. Lucas.

W. W. Lucas, the negro impersonator and reciter gave a highly entertaining recital at the M. E. Church Wednesday evening. The audience made an unconditional surrender to Mr. Lucas for more than an hour and he gave them a very pleasant evening. Miss Nellie Bowles and May Black contributed several solos, Mrs. F. A. Sulis acting as accompanist. Master William and Miss Marion Baldwin rendered several selections which added greatly to the evening's enjoyment. There was a large audience in attendance and the affair was a success in every way.

Basket Ball.

The Union basket ball team was defeated by the Everett team by the score of 19 to 10 at Clapp's hall, Saturday evening.

Fore River Engine Works.

The lightship begins to assume definite shape and form as the riveters proceed to fasten the steel plates securely to the keel.

Sunday School Reception.

The Sunday School of the M. E. Church held an enjoyable reception Friday evening last. A large number of the past and present members of the school, were present and a delightful evening was passed. J. Sampson was master of ceremonies and an interesting program was furnished and was much enjoyed by the audience. A social hour with refreshments followed. A number of new books were donated for the library.

Anniversary and Installation.

The members of the Epworth League connected with the M. E. Church observed their anniversary and installation of officers last Sunday evening. Rev. Charles Lamb of Maine was in charge of the regular League Devotional meeting at 6.15 and Rev. W. C. Keeler of Iowa delivered the address at 7.15. His theme was "The Mission of a Herald." The address was thoughtful and earnest and attentively listened to by a large congregation An interesting feature of the service was the installation of the officers for both the Senior and Junior Leagues by the Rev. F. K. Baker.

Art Club's Exhibition.

The Boston Art Club's recent exhibition was visited by several art lovers from our vicinity. The sketches of scenery in France, in oils, by Miss Ella W. Sheppard were well hung and were of great interest to all her friends. The portraits by W. W. Churchill, who at one time resided in Weymouth, were keenly noted. The standing lady in white muslin with long train showed much life and character, the brown eyes following the beholder in whatever part of the gallery one stood. The portrait with chrysanthemums was not carried to such a high degree of perfection perhaps, but was a sweet, quiet glimpse of a young girl resting quietly sitting on a tete-a-tete sofa with a large bunch of chrysanthemums on a pedestal directly behind her head; a little suggestion of Sargent in the grouping. Two characteristic paintings by Enneking were great favorites; one, a shady brook in summer, gave one such a breath of fresh wood and rippling, pebbly stream. The other, a pasture in autumn, was a hillside covered with rocks and sloping hillocks, with here and there a brilliantly-colored maple or oak. Two oxen drawing a load of kelp on the seashore, a group of cattle by C. F. Pierce, boys in swimming, were among the most striking by our modern artists.

Funeral of Henry Lukeman.

The funeral services of Henry Lukeman occurred at the Church of the Sacred Heart Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m., Rev. J. B. Holland celebrating Requiem Mass. The interment was at St. Francis Xavier Cemetery.

To Visit the Legislature.

The class of Parliamentary Law, with their friends will visit the Legislature, the afternoon of Wednesday, February the 21st inst., meeting in Boston at the store of R. H. Stearns, Tremont street entrance, at one o'clock p. m.

The next meeting of the Parliamentary Law Class will be held on Tuesday the 27th inst., in the reading room of Tufts Library at the usual hour, 10.15 a. m.

Entertained at Whist.

A very enjoyable whist party was given by Miss Mary Kiley at her home, Thursday evening. Whist was indulged in from 8 o'clock until 10, the prizes being awarded to Mrs. John O'Connor and Thomas Martell. An excellent musical program was rendered by a number of the guests. The company dispersed at a late hour, after having partaken of a dainty collation.

Maurice Kennedy.

Maurice Kennedy, an old resident of this town passed away at his home off Prospect street Thursday morning. Deceased was about 59 years of age and leaves a widow and several grown up children.

Steel Plate Fell.

Thomas Flannigan was severely injured by the falling of a steel plate while at work at the Fore River Engine Works Wednesday morning. Dr. Bullock is attending him.

Bold Highway Robbery.

The need of a day police force was made evident yesterday morning, when in broad daylight, and in one of the busiest thoroughfares of the town, one of our best-known citizens was the victim of a highway robbery. The gentleman referred to was leading a horse through Washington square, when he was overtaken by a man in a covered wagon, who accosted him, and forced him to release his hold upon the horse, which was promptly confiscated by an accomplice of the man in the wagon. The victim of the holdup is positive that he could identify both of the robbers. Several of our citizens have lost small household articles of late, such as clocks, etc., and from the description given it is thought that one of the highwaymen and the party who took the above mentioned articles, are one and the same person. If apprehended, he will also have to answer to the charge of stealing the bell from the Hydrant one night in September, 1899.

Union Literary Circle.

The Union Literary Circle will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 20, with Mrs. Holmes. The evening will be spent in reading Shakespeare's "Macbeth." Quotations will be omitted. Members are earnestly requested to be present at 7.45 promptly.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—The many friends of Rev. Allan B. Hudson, formerly of the Pilgrim Church, but now of the First Church, Brockton, are interested in the position taken by Rev. Mr. Hudson as a believer in the new theology. His eloquent sermon provoked much comment and was printed entire in the Brockton Enterprise. In plain, practical words he refutes the belief in a personal devil and proves from the scripture that evil and wickedness arises from within a man's heart.

—Republican caucus tonight. General caucus Saturday night at Engine Hall, Ward 2.

—Miss Carrie E. French is the guest of New York friends.

—Mrs. Lyman J. Peterson returned Saturday from a visit at Plymouth.

—Miss Gertrude W. Bartlett entertained friends Saturday evening at her home on Lovell street.

—Phonographs $1.00 a week at Wilders.

—The Algonquin Whist Club enjoyed a theatre party Saturday.

—The members of the Wessagusett Club gave a banquet and dance in Engine hall Wednesday evening. Thirty couples were on the grand march and the dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

—The Young People's Lyceum held a meeting Monday evening in Pilgrim Church parlors.

—Mrs. Frank Spear is ill at her home on Pearl street.

—Solomon Ford has had a relapse.

—Chas. Shaw is on the sick list.

—Miss Minnie Tileston of New Boston is home for a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Tirrell of Boston have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E Tirrell.

—Read South Weymouth column now. Go to Library fair, Fogg's hall, Feb. 20, 21, 22, 23.

—The Ladies' Third Church Circle met in the evening in the church parlors.

—An entertainment will be held in Pilgrim Church vestry Tuesday evening.

Installation.

Monatiquot Colony 112, U. O. P. F., held a public installation Tuesday evening in Pilgrim Church parlors, D. S. G. Carlisle and suite of Attleboro installed these officers: Gov., F. A. Bicknell; Lieut. Gov., T. B. Seabury; Col., C. L. Seabury; Treas., H. Benson; Sec., W. F. Seabury; Chap., Mrs. Culley; Serg., John W. Cushing; Dep., W. B. Dasha; Sen., Mrs. H. F. Barnes, John W. Holbrook.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

—Republican caucus tonight. General caucus Saturday night at Engine Hall, Ward 2.

—A large number of the outside and inside views of the factory of M. C. Dizer & Co., have been taken this week.

—La grippe has got the better of Thomas Smith this week and confined him to his home.

—Miss Mabel McCue was taken by surprise at her home last Friday evening by a party of young friends. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and discussing a dainty lunch, and in departing the guests left behind, a fine silk umbrella as a token of regard.

—Mrs. Mary Quinlan is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Harrington.

—Mrs. J. F. Crehan of Chelsea has been the guest of Mrs. J. F. Dalton this week.

—Miss Angie Purchase has accepted a position at the factory of M. C. Dizer & Co.

—Mrs. Thomas Lynch is confined to her home quite ill, but with hopes of a recovery.

—Oat meal toilet soap 50c. per dozen at Harlow's.

—Mrs. Walter Curtis is suffering from a severe attack of diphtheria.

—Bart F. Smith has purchased a horse and wagon from A. H. Small for his new business.

—Mary Cook is suffering from blood poison, the result of a severe cut in her arm.

—There will be a citizens' caucus in Engine Hall, Tuesday night. It will be called to order by D. M. Easton.

—A large black dog entered Small's market the other day and made off with a good raid. A lively chase followed, but there was a discount in beef when captured.

—Miss Lizzie Mahoney, who recently returned from Carney Hospital, is making an extended visit to her sister in Sharon.

—Rev. F. A. Poole was called to his former home at Topsfield on Wednesday to attend the funeral of one of his former parishioners.

—An interesting meeting of the reading circle was held with Miss Addie Canterbury last Friday evening. The programme consisted of quotations from or about Milton; a review of two books of Paradise Lost, Mrs. W. F. Sayward, Miss Mary Tucker, A. W. Kallom, George Colby, Miss Pinkham, W. F. Sayward, Miss Clara Reamy and Miss Canterbury taking the leading parts. The meeting was in charge of Miss Dora Smith.

—Verona violet water, also crushed roses, at Harlow's, 25c. per bottle.

—James L. Lincoln is still confined to his home, but is improving.

—Fifty-two members of the Loyal Legions and many visitors were in attendance at the meeting last Sunday afternoon. Recitations were given by Mabel Spear, Ward Humphrey, Annie Purchase and others. Among the workers from abroad was Miss Ellen Lewis of Hingham.

—The meeting of the Fairmount Cemetery Circle for next week will be with Mrs. E. E. Merchant. As this will be the last meeting before the fair, every member is expected to be present.

—Next Wednesday there will be a Colonial evening at the Congregational Church. Supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock as usual, followed by a reception to George and Martha Washington, and a series of historical tableaux. A chorus will sing some of "ye olden songs." There will also be an interesting colonial exhibit.

—Vanilla flakes at Harlow's, 25c. per pound.

—Rev. M. Kirkby of the Porter Church will give an address on Temperance next Sunday at Temperance hall. Meeting at 5 o'clock.

—The Boston Baking and Catering Co. will cater for two hundred guests at the David Cushing golden wedding to be celebrated at Wilder Memorial Hall in Hingham tomorrow night.

—Old fashioned chocolates at Harlow's, 25c. per pound.

—There will be an all-day meeting at the Faith Mission on Thursday, the 22d, Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain of Somerville will speak and sing, and other workers are expected. Services at 10 a. m., 2 and 7.30 p. m. Tea and coffey will be served to those who bring lunch. All are cordially invited.

—There was a largely attended meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. S. H. Sherman on Wednesday. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Martha Pratt, superintendent of the Mother's Department and it was full of interest.

—Phonographs $1.00 a week at Wilders.

—Read South Weymouth column now. Go to Library fair, Fogg's hall, Feb. 20, 21, 22, 23.

—There were ninety occupants of Officer Asa B. Pratt's grated window building on Broad street during the year 1899. 60, drunk; 6, larceny; 5, assault; 1, gambling; 3, breaking and entering; 3, violating liquor law; 2, vagrancy; 2, killing song birds; 2, disturbing peace; 4, tramps; 1, witness; 1, passing counterfeit money.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kallam were called to Plymouth yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Kallam's grandmother.

Polo.

Thursday, Feb. 8, Lawrence defeated East Weymouth 3 to 2. Saturday, Feb. 10, East Weymouth defeated Taunton 8 to 0. The steady work of Mullen in the goal this season has been one of the features. If he continues his fast game, next season will find him in the big league.

Washington Club.

The annual meeting of the Washington Club was held Monday evening and the treasurer's report showed the club to be in good financial conditions with all of its furniture and fixings paid for and a balance in the treasury. Officers elected for the ensuing year were Albert Humphrey, president; Wallace Whiton, vice-president; W. M. Burrell, secretary and treasurer; John E. Mann, D. M. Easton and James L. Lincoln, executive committee. A collation followed the election of officers, and speeches came after the collation. Next Monday night Fred E. Mann will give the club a phonograph entertainment with a fine selection of records, and D. M. Easton will read a paper on the life and character of Washington.

Lincoln's Day Celebration.

James L. Bates Camp, S. of V., and the Ladies' Aid connected with the same, had a fitting celebration of Lincoln's Day in G. A. R. hall Monday night. Mrs. Farrer was the presiding genius of the evening, and among her corps of speakers were Past Capt. George H. Powell, of Stoughton; Past Capt. Hunt, of Quincy; Dis. Pres. Estella Raymond, Mrs. Fernald, George L. Newton, N. W. Gardner, Oliver Houghton and Charles Hawes. The evening's entertainment was enhanced by a graphophone programme in charge of Frank Litchfield.

Pastorate Ended.

For some time past it has been well known to some of the friends of Rev. A. W. Kingsley of the M. E. Church, that he would resign his pastorate at the close of the present church year. This he did to his Presiding Elder, Dr. E. C. Bass, on Wednesday evening last. On that evening the last quarterly meeting of the church was held, and the pastor presented his report and a report of the recent extensive work of repairs and improvements in the church building. The report showed an expenditure of $3,600, and that the edifice is now in the most approved condition. This large expenditure has nearly all been paid, as there is but about $100 wanting.

Mr. Kingsley has been a faithful minister and public servant and the work accomplished during his two years of pastorate will remain for many years.

Mrs. Kingsley has also been an earnest worker in the Ladies' Aid and Home Missionary societies. The recent successful "men's supper" was a suggestion of hers. Mrs. Kingsley's health has not been of the best since she came to town and it has been thought the climate is unfavorable to her.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Kingsley will leave many warm Christian friends who will most kindly remember them and their earnest sacrificing work in the community.

A change of pastors will doubtless take place at the annual conference which meets in Providence, March 28th.

Mrs. Patrick Maguire Dead.

After a lingering illness Mrs. Ellen, wife of Patrick Maguire, passed away at her home last Friday. Mrs. Maguire was a daughter of Henry and Maria Barton who came to this country some sixty years ago, and settled in Weymouth. The long row of stately elms on Front street are a monument to Mr. Barton's first work in America.

Funeral services of deceased were held at the Church of Immaculate Conception last Monday morning, Rev. Father Begley officiating, and a profusion of floral tributes from home friends and others at Braintree, Weymouth and Boston, surrounded the casket. Mrs. Maguire leaves four sons, two daughters, a brother and many friends who mourn her departure.

Food Fair.

The Ladies Social Circle of the Unitarian society held a very successful Food Fair Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings. The vestry was tastefully decorated for the occasion, tables were well supplied with wet goods and Aunt Dinah had her spacious pockets well filled with things for the little folks.

The entertainment for Wednesday evening was a good line of graphophone records, solos by Carl Schindler and Miss Eva Sherman with violin obligato by David P. Lincoln.

Thursday evening's entertainment was arranged by Mrs. H. B. Raymond and a program of select readings and songs was given.

Col. B. S. Lovell.

We would like to say something encouraging in regard to Col. B. S. Lovell but would hardly be warranted in doing so as there have been no indications of improvement the past week. Although he has been for a long time confined to his home he is not forgotten by friends and comrades as is indicated by the following dispatches received on Wednesday. The first was from the Womans Relief Corp then in session in Boston:

"The twenty-first annual convention of the W. R. C. extends its sincere sympathy to their loyal friend in his illness. May the Great Commander sustain you."

ANNA M. WARNE,
Committee on Message.

From the Grand Army the following:

"The old boys whom you never forget do not forget you now The department encampment sends greetings and invokes God's blessing on your head."

JACK G. B. ADAMS.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1-4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Flint Holds Session at Quincy.

A session of Probate Court for Norfolk County was held at Quincy, Wednesday morning. Judge James H. Flint presided and the following business was transacted;—

WILLS ALLOWED.

Of Margaret H. Babcock, late of Milton; Charles F. Babcock executor, bond $86,000.

Of Bernard McCormick, late of Stoughton; Michael F. McCormick executor; bond $25,000.

Of B. Loxley Clark, late of Randolph; Lucy A. Clark executrix; bond $5,000.

Of Ann Gerry, late of Quincy; Ellen L. Granahan executrix; bond $5,000.

Of Catherine Cohan, late of Weymouth; Thomas Henesey, executor, bond $1,000.

ADMINISTRATIONS GRANTED.

Helen M. Ellsworth on the estate of Lydia D. Morrison, late of Braintree bond $3,000.

Erastus B. Badger, on the estate of E. Watson Arnold, late of Braintree, bond $10,000.

Erastus B. Badger, on the estate of Maria V. Arnold, late of Braintree; bond $25,000.

George P. Macaulay, on the estate of Matthew Macaulay, late of Weymouth; bond $1,500.

Catherine Chisholm, on the estate of Alexander Chisholm, late of Cohasset; bond $400.

John J. Mahon, on the estate of James Mahon, late of Franklin bond, $4,000.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED.

First and final of John Raymond, executor of will of George Bates, late of Weymouth, for $2,602.65.

First of William H. Litchfield, executor of will of John H. Litchfield, late of Quincy, for $6,977.20.

First and final of John A. Raymond, executor of will of Susan M. Young, late of Weymouth, for $361.98.

TRUSTEES APPOINTED.

Abbie J. Higgins was appointed trustee of certain estate of Elizabeth Baxter, late of Quincy, for the benefit of Eunice Mary Wrisley and her children; bond $5,000.

GUARDIANS APPOINTED.

Henry W. Britton was appointed guardian of Nora J. and Raymond Courtney, minors of Stoughton; bond $2,400.

PETITIONS GRANTED.

John Everett, executor of will of Earl Gannett, late of Canton, was granted permission to sell real estate to the amount of $9,905.09

John H. Colby, administrator of the estate of Susan D. Pratt, late of Quincy, was granted permission to mortgage real estate to the amount of $1,800.

INVENTORIES.

On estate of George W. Pratt, late of Weymouth; real estate, $101.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

—Republican caucus tonight. General caucus Saturday night at Engine Hall, Ward 2.

—Miss Daisy Blanchard of Highland place, who has been quite ill, is convalescent.

—Oat meal toilet soap 50c. per dozen at Harlow's.

—"Books" will be the subject of Rev. L. W. Attwood's sermon at the Second Universalist Church Sunday morning. The music at the evening service will have the assistance of three violins.

—"Dodge Law Sensitive Man, some one's g'wine to get hit Friday night."

—Phonographs $1.00 a week at Wilders.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion will meet Monday in the Howe building.

—Buy a reserved seat ticket for the Library fair and save time and money.

—The members of the Columbian Fife and Drum Corps are to hold another of their popular dancing parties in Odd Fellows' hall this evening.

—Verona violet water, also crushed roses, at Harlow's, 25c. per bottle.

—See the flag dance and hear Ella Clark and Annie Dean Peckham Thursday evening. The hall will be open at 3.30 on that afternoon. Lunch served.

—Mrs. Simons is again able to be about after her recent illness.

—Snarley has difficulties Wednesday evening, but laughs come easy to all in the hall.

—The South Boston Ice Company has given up all hope of harvesting ice in South Weymouth this season, and Wednesday the horses were all taken back to Boston.

—Old fashioned chocolates at Harlow's, 25c. per pound.

The subject of the Sunday evening service at the Union Church will be, "Mission Work in Japan," and the discourse will be illustrated with stereopticon views.

—Walter Field and aids have a surprise for you. Look for it at grocery table.

—John F. Sullivan is getting up a watermelon party for the minstrel circle of the Library fair, Charles A. Scotcher will help George Hyatt hold up the bones end. Arthur M. Raymond will preside as accompanist.

—Have all the children see the fairy dance Tuesday evening.

—The Subscription list of the Gazette is growing and particularly in South Weymouth, where a substantial increase is very gratifying to the publishers The subscription list is now the largest in the history of the paper and still growing.

—Be sure and buy a copy of Mrs. Welcome's cook book at the fair.

—Vanilla flakes at Harlow's, 25c. per pound.

Supper by Young Men.

The young men connected with the Union Church are to serve a turkey and oyster supper in the vestry of the church this evening.

Mrs. Catherine Moore.

Mrs. Catherine Moore, widow of the late David Moore, passed away at her home on Highland place, Tuesday. The deceased was 74 years, 6 months, and 10 days of age and leaves two daughters, Mrs. William Condrick of Weymouth and Mrs. Robert Wilson, and two sons, Thomas and Christopher. The funeral services were held from the Church of St. Francis Xavier Thursday morning, Rev. J. B. Holland celebrating Requiem Mass.

Special Service.

A service at variance with those of the usual order was that held at the Union Church last Sunday evening when a male chorus of twenty voices under the direction of F. W. Clark of North Abington rendered an interesting collection of selections.

Literary Meeting Postponed.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather the regular meeting of the South Weymouth Literary Club, which has to have been held Tuesday evening was postponed until Tuesday evening the 27th.

Fin-de Siecle Whist.

Miss Craibe entertained the members of the Fin-de-Siecle Whist Club at her home on Pond Plain Monday evening. The honors were taken by Mrs. Ethel Doble and Miss Abbie Cushing. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Doble, the evening of Monday, February 26.

Norfolks Win.

The Norfolk Club bowling team won their home game with the Commercial Club of Brockton, Friday evening last. The score was as follows:

NORFOLK CLUB.

	1	2	3	total
Allen	158	160	133	451
Crocker	162	170	190	522
Hunt	190	200	166	556
White	156	200	136	492
Clapp	167	162	144	473
Total	833	892	769	2494

COMMERCIAL CLUB.

	1	2	3	total
Crocker	142	137	180	459
Swift	156	200	172	528
Thatcher	220	182	178	580
Saxton	123	179	148	450
Perkins	136	147	178	461
Total	777	845	856	2478

As each of the above named teams has won a game on its home alleys, arrangements, no doubt can be made to roll a final match on neutral alleys, probably at the Cochato Club, Braintree, sometime in March.

See what Happens!

Listen to a child story:

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WEYMOUTH CENTER.

—Miss Margaret Smith entertained the Wide Awake Club at her home Wednesday evening, Feb. 7. Whist was the feature of the evening. Mary Bussiere and Thomas Miller were the prize winners. A collation was served during the evening.

—Mrs. Sara E. Cain is quite seriously ill at her home.

—Miss Etta Nichols has been ill for some time past.

—Sumner Shaw had quite a severe fall last Friday and is still confined to the house from the effects of it.

—Little Emily Briggs has been quite ill but is improving.

—C. T. Humphrey is still making repairs on his building, in the rear room of the store of Bates & Humphrey, which he is having sheathed up, and rearranged in a more convenient manner.

—Since M. C. Dizer has removed his large whistle, teachers and scholars in the schools were at loss to know whether there was school or not, on the stormy days recently, the whistle on the electric light station being so faint as to be scarcely distinguished. Many children plod through the wet and mud, only to find the school doors closed, or else run the risk of being absent, if there is a school. It seems as though there should be some way so that it may be accurately known, as a large number of the children from this section have quite a distance to go.

—Miss Mary Bussiere entertained a party of about twenty Wednesday evening, the occasion being in honor of her birthday. She was presented with a beautiful opal ring. A graphophone, and other entertainment made the hours pass quickly away.

WEYMOUTH HEIGHTS

—Republican caucus tonight. General caucus Saturday night at Engine Hall, Ward 2.

—Mrs. Taylor is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Atkinson, in Melrose.

—Station Agent Burns is on the sick list.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bolles entertained the whist club on Tuesday evening.

—Next Wednesday evening the Ladies' Benevolent Society give the second entertainment for the benefit of the annex fund. "Antie" Bicknell will sing, and all who want to know how women will behave when they have their rights and sit upon a jury, will be there.

—Efforts are being made to organize a Choral Union to meet in the Old North chapel and later to give a concert. Forty members are desired.

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TIME TABLE.

LEAVE BRAINTREE FOR SOUTH WEYMOUTH AND ROCKLAND.—7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, 12.05 A.M., 1.05, 2.05, 3.05, 4.05, 5.05, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05 P.M. Sundays, 8.05, 9.05, 10.05, 11.05, 12.05 A.M., 1.05, 2.05, 2.35, 3.05, 3.35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.35 P. M.

LEAVE BRAINTREE FOR WEYMOUTH LANDING AND EAST WEYMOUTH.—6.28, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.05 P.M. Sundays, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.05 P.M.

LEAVE LINCOLN SQUARE FOR BRAINTREE.—6.10, 6.30, 7.12, 7.42, 8.12, 8.42 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.42 P.M. Sundays, 8.12, 8.42, 9.12, 9.42 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.42 P.M.

LEAVE LINCOLN SQUARE FOR SOUTH WEYMOUTH AND ROCKLAND.—5.50, 6.45, 7.20, 7.48, 9.18, 10.18, 11.18 A.M., 12.18, 1.18, 2.18, 3.18, 4.18, 4.48, 5.18, 5.48, 6.18, 6.48, 7.18, 7.48, 8.18, 9.18, 10.18 P.M. Sundays, 8.18, 9.18, 10.18, 11.18 A.M., 12.18, 1.18, 2.18, 2.48, 3.18, 3.48, 4.18, 4.48, 5.18, 5.48, 6.18, 6.48, 7.18, 7.48, 8.18, 8.48, 9.18, 9.48 P.M.

LEAVE LINCOLN SQUARE FOR EAST WEYMOUTH.—6.12, 6.45, 7.18, 7.48, 8.18, 8.48 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.18 P.M. Sundays, 8.48, 9.18, 9.48 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.18 P.M.

LEAVE EAST WEYMOUTH, JACKSON SQUARE, FOR BRAINTREE.—6.00, 6.15, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.30 P.M. Sundays, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.30 P.M.

LEAVE EAST WEYMOUTH, JACKSON SQUARE, FOR SOUTH WEYMOUTH DEPOT.—5 35, 5.50, 6 30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 A.M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3 30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 9.30, (10.30 P.M. to Columbian Square). Sundays, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 A.M., 1.00, 2.00, 3 00, 3.30, 4.00, 4 30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, (10.30 P.M. to Columbian Square).

LEAVE SOUTH WEYMOUTH DEPOT FOR EAST WEYMOUTH AND ROCKLAND.—5.55, 6.10, 6.35, 7.10, 7 35, 8.05, 9.05, 9 35, 10.35, 11.35 A.M., 1.35, 2.35, 3 35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.35, 9 35, 10.05 P.M., (From Columbian Square, 10.50 P.M.), 12.10 A.M. for Rockland, or on arrival of Boston train. Sundays, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.35 A.M., 12 35, 1.05, 1.35, 2.35, 3 35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9 35, 10.05, 10.50 P.M. from Columbian Square.

LEAVE COLUMBIAN SQUARE, SOUTH WEYMOUTH, FOR WEYMOUTH LANDING AND BRAINTREE.—5.55, 6.10, 6.50, 7.20, 7 50, 8.20, 9.20, 10.20, 11.20 A.M., 12.20, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4.20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6.20, 6 50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 9.20, 10.20, P.M. Sundays, 7.50, 8.50, 9.20, 10.20, 11 20 A.M., 12.20, 1.20, 2.20, 3.20, 3.50, 4 20, 4.50, 5.20, 5.50, 6 20, 6.50, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.20, 10.50, 11.50 P.M.

Rev. Oliver Huckel to be Pastor of a Union Church.

The many friends of Rev. Oliver Huckel of Baltimore, Maryland, will be glad to read the following clipping from the Congregationalist:

Baltimore, Maryland.—First, on a reconsideration of uniting with the Associate Reform Church, has voted to accept the advice of the late council and join its neighbor church, to form the Associate Congregational Church Rev. Oliver Huckel, pastor of the Associate Reform, will now be pastor of the union church. The editorial comment is as follows: "Strength to Congregationalism is what the action in Baltimore will doubtless mean."

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THE FAIR DAY FRIEND.

O where are the friends you knew
In the days when you toiled away—
In the days when your friends were few—
The old friends, where are they?
You have left them for men
Who looked down on you then
As one of inferior metal;
While you flourish your wealth
They will drink to your health,
And always expect you to settle.

When the dark days come again
Stop not at the gilded door;
Go back to the old haunts then
And the friends you knew before—
Everybody's your friend
While you've money to spend,
You are hail-fellow while you're in clover;
But a friend at a price
Will have only advice
To give when your hurrah is over.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

THE DESPERADO

By Cy Warman.

THE slanting shafts of the setting sun glanced along the level pools, and gilded the ripples and shimmering shoals of the quiet river—the Green river—that lay along the edge of the Adobe desert, like a band of braid at the bottom of a woman's skirt. A moment later the red sun dropped behind the Wahsatch mountains and the day was snuffed out like a candle.

Suddenly, now, a great black cloud shoved its shoulders up over the hills behind which the sun sank. With majestic swiftness it lifted its head, spread out its dark wings, shadowed the waste, and filled the wild canyons with awful gloom. Far out toward the foothills the unshod feet of a mountain cayuse were beating the hard face of the desert, urged on by the cruel spurs of his pitiless master. For more than six hours the horse and rider had been simmering in the summer sun, and now they welcomed the shadows, ducked their heads, and dived in under the cloud; the horse eager for the cool, and the rider for the cover of night.

Across the desert another rider is urging his steed of steel, his pilot pointing into the storm-swept night. In a darkened day-coach, behind the little locomotive, a United States marshal and his deputies sit staring at the storm into which the daring driver is about to plunge. Now the rain begins to beat upon the windows. A moment later it is falling furiously, roaring upon the roof of the cab and blurring the headlight. The iron horse and the cayuse are running neck and neck now. Both riders know that they are nearing the river, and so slacken their speed. As the cayuse comes to the water's edge he braces his feet and stops short. The rider's first impulse is to dismount, abandon his horse, and find the railroad bridge, which he knows must be near at hand, but glancing back he sees the light of the locomotive and changes his mind.

Just over the river stands Green River station, with its water-tank, where the iron horse will stop to drink. If the lone rider can reach the station before the train leaves he can leave the country which he does not like. As the locomotive comes nosing cautiously up to the bridge the horseman drives his spurs into the cayuse, and the foaming animal plunges into the roaring river. The swift current carries him downstream, and the engineer's headlight shines full on him as he is swept under the bridge.

Beyond the river the engine is stopped and the occupants of the dark car come out to look for the man and horse. Long before they reach the river bank below the bridge, however, the little cayuse has touched land, leaped upon the level bank and galloped up to the station.

While the men were still searching for him along the river, the weary traveler learned from the agent that the regular train had passed, that the train at the bridge was a special, that it would not be likely to stop at the tank, and if it did it would not take passengers.

And so, being weary and not wishing to be seen, the traveler tethered his tired horse at the rear of the hotel, secured a room and retired.

Presently the key began calling the agent at Green River, and when he hearkened it told him of a tragedy that had occurred at Coyote on the morning of that day. A lone desperado had taken the town, robbed the station, killed the operator (who was the agent also), stolen a horse, and escaped. A special with a United States marshal had gone down the road to look for the murderer. The description that the new operator had gotten from the frightened people led the agent at Green River to believe that the desperado had been there but a moment before. When the special pulled up to the station and stopped, the agent told the marshal of the arrival of the stranger.

"That's our man," said the marshal, and he immediately surrounded the little wooden hotel, which was called the Palmer house. Then, having secured the number of the stranger's room, the marshal and one of his men went up.

They tried the door; it was locked. They knocked, and the man said: "Come in." The marshal said he could not, and asked the occupant of the room to come out; and the man answered: "Wait till I get my boots on," for he loathed to die half dressed.

Suddenly the door flew open and the hunted man leaped into the hall. Before the marshal or his deputy could raise a hand, the desperate man began unloading a couple of rapid-firing six-shooters in the narrow hallway. The two officers retreated, for the first shot had jarred the hanging hall lamp out and left them in the dark. Covered by his own smoke, the desperado followed the men down the stairs, and before he had been missed he was already over the back fence mounting his horse. The horse was shot down by one of the posse, and the desperado was compelled to foot it.

Leaving the desert lands, he headed for the canyon, and at dawn rested where the trail touched the Green river. Here he found a brush hut, a sheep-herder, and a rude rowboat on the banks of the swollen stream.

"Ferry me over," said the stranger, as the shepherd came yawning from his hut.

"Not for your fleece, my buck-sheep," said the boatman; "yon river's dangerous."

"So's this," said the man, flourishing his firearms. "Ferry me over P. D. Q."

When the boat had reached the middle of the wild river the desperado brought his gun out again and ordered the boatman to head her downstream, pointing out the way with his loaded revolver. The terrified sheepman tried to tell the fugitive that the river was impassable, even at low water—that a little way down the Grand joined the Green, and the two, forming the Colorado, went leaping, plunging, boiling and churning through the Cataract canyon, through which (the Indians said) no white man had passed and lived. The hunted man only smiled and twirled his pistol.

The two men would dash through wild cataracts, over white-foaming falls, and the next hour their fragile boat would be drifting silently between the soft shaded walls that gave back, in echo, the faintest ripple of water, or the almost whispered words, few though they were, that passed between the two voyagers.

Suddenly they found themselves in the canyon, driving down the raging stream. Going over falls the boat was driven against a bowlder near the shore. So violent had been the shock that both men were cast upon a shelf in the curve of the river unhurt.

The walls here rose thousands of feet almost perpendicularly. As the river touched the wall above and below there was no escape. The little resting-place on which the two men found themselves was filled with driftwood. Hanging to the rock that had wrecked them was a long rope that had been in the boat: this the desperado fished out.

"We'll build a raft," said the outlaw. He made the sheepman carry cedar logs, limbless and scarred, cross-ties and pieces of bridge timber that had drifted for hundreds of miles down the mad river, and were gnawed like the hitching post in front of a country church.

When he had lashed a lot of these together he told the sheepman to get aboard, and the sheepman said he'd die first.

"All right," said the smiling villain, and the wild report of his revolver filled the canyon and went on and out through the canyons, thundering its echoes back to the two men there in the awful gorge. The bullet whirred past the shepherd's ear.

Once more on the breast of the boiling stream the men, now on the rude raft, were tempting fate. They lay flat down, hanging to the ropes, sometimes beneath, sometimes far above the mad torrent; leaping from the crest of high falls, shooting rapids and creeping over awful cataracts. At the end of an hour they emerged from the narrow canyon and entered a long stretch of deep green water, slowly moving, sun-kissed and quiet. So still seemed the beautiful river that they were obliged to take markers on the shore to see if they really moved. Far away, at the end of the stretch of peaceful water, the river seemed to end. Across its path a wall rose, red and high. The water, running over and flowing down the face of the cliff, had streaked and striped the red sandstone until it looked in the sunlight like a beautiful piece of tapestry, and the desperado called it Tapestry wall, and so it has been called ever since.

The river, however, did not end here. Swinging in a long, graceful curve, growing swifter and swifter, it sucked into a narrow pass and became a raging, frothing cataract.

For some moments they saw nothing and heard only the awful tumult of the boiling river, and then with a slam the raft hung upon a big rock that split the current near the middle of the stream.

When the shepherd had wiped the spray from his eyes he saw that he was alone. The force of the shock had thrown his companion into the water. He had landed, and now came limping along the bank of the river.

The desperado smiled out over the foam at the helpless shepherd, who began to hope that the fellow would shoot him and end the awful suspense, but the fearless outlaw did nothing of the sort. To the shepherd's amazement the man on shore—safe and free from the mad river—began to undress. When he had stacked his wet garments on a rock he walked a few rods along the bank and plunged in. Midway between the rock and the shore there was a whirlpool—a suck-hole, as the shepherd said—and it was to avoid this that the man had gone so far upstream. He was an expert swimmer, but he was weakened from overwork and the long fast, and so the current proved too strong for him. It carried him past the shepherd, and suddenly his feet pointed to the suck. Round and round, faster and faster, as he came at each turn nearer the neck of the funnel, the doomed man whirled, while the shepherd looked on, powerless.

As he drew near the fatel center the force of the water stood him up; he waved his hand, smiled at the shepherd and shot down to the bottom of the foaming river.

Knowing that to remain there was to perish, the shepherd succeeded in reaching the shore. Half starved, he reached the cabin of a miner who was washing gold in the canyon of the Colorado. There we found him—a white-haired young man—while on our way to the San Juan gold fields in 1893, and from his own lips heard this story.—Saturday Evening Post.

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Smoke.

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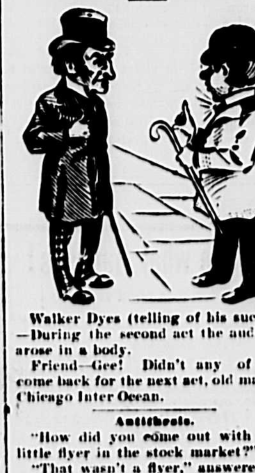

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Friend—Gee! Didn't any of 'em come back for the next act, old man?—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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Sometimes while riding they met and passed each other, when, instead of a friendly greeting which such close neighbors might reasonably be supposed to give, each head was turned aside and the expression of each face became one of disdain. Sometimes, however, the baroness did not turn away, but looked straight at her neighbor with a sardonic smile on her lips and a gleam of amused malice in her eyes, which the count felt rather than saw, and which made him furious. He would stop and watch the horse and rider out of sight and mutter imprecations under his breath.

To-day the baroness had looked at him instead of turning her head away, and he had looked, too, and met the loveliest eyes in the world full of malicious laughter and contempt, and, as usual, he was angry.

He pulled up and turned in the saddle.

"What a magnificent animal!" he said aloud. "And to think that such a creature as that woman should own him! How I hate her! Pretentious, conceited! I will find a way to get even with her yet—I'll make her as ridiculous as she has made me!" And he rode on, trying to think of some scheme by which he could be revenged.

"I have it," he cried, at last, and rubbed his hands with delight.

That night he went to see his lawyer, the only one in the little village.

"M. Clavin," the count began, "I am thinking of fencing in that bit of road which runs along my meadow by the river."

"But, M. le Count," objected the lawyer, "I am not so sure that the road belongs exclusively to you."

"I have papers which prove that it does," replied the count. "I shall build a high fence at the north end of it, as I do not mean to have it used in future."

"Are you aware that the baroness and yourself are the only people who use the road, and that her daily ride leads her always through this very spot? Do you know that she will have to make a long detour if you close this way?"

"I know it perfectly," replied the count, calmly, "and that is why I am doing it."

"She will probably go to law to contest your right."

"That is my thought exactly."

"You desire a lawsuit, then?"

"When I am sure of winning it, yes."

"If it would not be impertinent on my part, I should greatly like to ask what the baroness can have done to have gained an enemy in you, monsieur."

The count liked nothing better than a recital of his grievances, and so he began:

"You know I have lived here only a few years. Before I came to Vert-Coteau I lived in Paris, and few men enjoyed life there more than I did, until I met a certain young girl. I fell deeply in love with her, and finally proposed to her. She told me to speak to her parents, at the same time showing me that I was at least not disagreeable to her. Well, the parents flatly refused my offer, saying that their daughter was already engaged to Baron de Korbon."

The count paused, and the lawyer said: "A love affair is at the root of the matter, then?"

"No, there is more than that. I left Paris broken-hearted and bought an estate here and lived quietly for awhile. Then, one morning, in the village paper, I saw the announcement that the young Baroness de Korbon, a widow, had purchased the estate next to mine. You may imagine how rejoiced I felt. I still loved her and thought that now the way was open to me and that I might win her. When she came I sent a note asking her if I might call, and received a curt reply in the third person, stating that the baroness was in mourning and saw no one."

"You should not have been offended at that," put in the listener.

"I was not in the least offended. She would not forever be in mourning, I thought, and I would yet have my chance. I would perhaps meet her on the road some day and we could quite naturally fall into a conversation. Well, at last I did meet her and bowed to her with perfect politeness. What do you think she did?" The count paused for emphasis. "She cut me completely! Looked as though she had never seen me before."

"I am surprised that the baroness could do such a thing," said Clavin "she has always seemed to me the very essence of kindness and good will."

And so, one afternoon, the fence was built, and the next morning the count took himself to the spot to enjoy the discomfiture of the baroness. He knew the time of her ride, and seated himself on a pile of stones and leisurely rolled and lit a cigarette.

At last there was a sound of hoofs and then the beautiful baroness galloped around a bend in the road which was very near the fence. When she saw it she pulled up sharply and surveyed it.

"My enemy's bulwarks," she said aloud, and then she saw the count and blushed furiously.

There was a moment's hesitation, and the woman looked at the height of the fence. Her face expressed unconquerable determination. She turned and rode back a short distance, then turned again and rode straight at the fence.

The count realized that she was going to attempt to leap it, and a sickening horror turned his face white. He sprang forward and caught the horse's bridle.

"You must be mad," he cried, "to try to take such a leap! You would kill yourself!"

"I would much rather die than turn back," replied the baroness, her eyes flashing with anger and excitement.

The count still held the bridle, and they remained thus, looking into each other's eyes. Suddenly he said:

"Why do you hate me so?"

"Because you have shown me nothing but contemptuous indifference and made me hate you!"

"I indifferent to you? I loved you years ago with all my soul and body, and now, in spite of your hatred, I love you still!"

The baroness trembled and her breath came quickly.

"Then why did you go away and let me marry some one else when you knew—you must have known—that I loved you?"

"But I did not know! Oh! my dearest, is it too late now? Can't you love me again?"

The baroness looked into the pleading eyes and her own filled with tears.

"I think I have always loved you," she said, softly.

The morning wore into afternoon and the baroness and the count still sat on the pile of stones by the roadside, while Strapontin wandered about unheeded, contentedly nibbling the grass.—Chicago News.

Not a Moment Wasted.

Husband—Please to hurry, or we shall be late again! I wonder how many years of your life you have wasted in asking whether your hat was on straight?

Wife—Hush! I have never wasted a moment. Is my hat on straight now?—Town Topics.

Apparently.

Teacher—What animal contents itself with the least amount of food?

Pupil—The moth.

Teacher—Wrong. On the contrary, the moth is a very greedy animal.

Pupil—But it eats nothing but holes.—N. Y. World.

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Midnight Philosophy.

Mrs. Squills—Quick! Quick! Wake up! I believe there are burglars downstairs. Go down and see.

Mr. Squills (sleepily)—Nonsense! Nothing but a cat.

Mrs. S.—Hark! There! I know there are burglars downstairs.

Mr. S. (nervously)—Well—er—if you know they are there it's no use going down to find out.—N. Y. Weekly.

None of His Business.

"Sir," began young Timkins, as he entered the presence of the dear girl's father, "I want to marry your daughter—"

"Oh, don't bother me with your troubles," interrupted the old gentleman. "She told me some time ago that she intended to marry you, so you'll have to settle it between yourselves."—Tit-Bits.

Trust Conference.

He tried to stand off the grocery
For some sugar and ham and a pound of tea,
But the grocer said "Nit,
No trust—not a bit,
I'm an anti-trust advocate—see?"
—Baltimore American.

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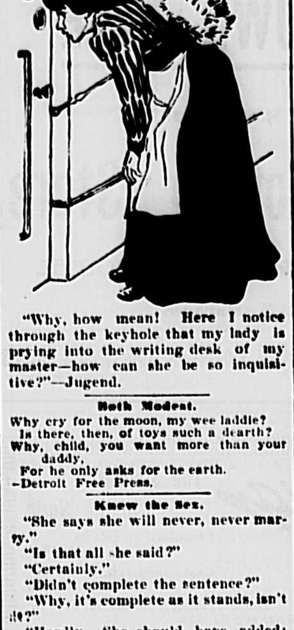

"Why, how mean! Here I notice through the keyhole that my lady is prying into the writing desk of my master—how can she be so inquisitive?"—Jugend.

Both Modest.

Why cry for the moon, my wee laddie?
Is there, then, of toys such a dearth?
Why, child, you want more than your daddy,
For he only asks for the earth.
—Detroit Free Press.

Knew the Sex.

"She says she will never, never marry."

"Is that all she said?"

"Certainly."

"Didn't complete the sentence?"

"Why, it's complete as it stands, isn't it?"

"Hardly. She should have added: 'Unless I get a chance.'"—Chicago Post.

Of Some Use.

"Yes," admitted Uncle Reuben Throstledyke, with some reluctance, "I did buy a gold brick wunst fur $700, but the money wuzn't altogether throwed away. My wife uses the brick fur keeping her feet warm these cold winter nights."—Chicago Tribune.

A Sort of Combination.

Briggs—Stubbs says he has been working so hard at his business that he hasn't seen his wife for weeks.

Griggs—I should say that that was combining business with pleasure.—Town Topics.

The Real Thing.

Ferdinald—And do you really love me?

Penelope — Love you, Ferdinald! Why, only yesterday papa asked me if I wouldn't sooner have a cocker spaniel, and I refused!—Puck.

She Knew.

At a recent examination in chemistry in a high school not far from Boston, the teacher asked a young lady to give an example of a vegetable fat. "Leaf lard," was the prompt reply.—Boston Transcript.

His Line of Criticism.

"I understand," said the neighbor, "that your husband is a dramatic critic."

"No," replied the little woman, bitterly; "he is even worse than that. He is a household critic."—Chicago Post.

Settled for Some Years.

Visiting Curate—Ah, my friend, you should reflect on the fact that we are here to-day and gone to-morrow.

Convict—You may be—I ain't.—Tit-Bits.

Spring Chickens.

"Did that farmer guarantee this to be a spring chicken?"

"Yes, he did. He said he could hardly catch it to kill—it was so springy."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Judging by Appearances.

Tommy—Say, Jimmie, wot is classical music?

Jimmie—It's the kind you can't understand unless you wear long hair.—N. Y. Journal.

The Average.

"Pa, what's an average man?"

"One who thinks his employer's business would be run a good deal better if he could have more to say about it himself."—Chicago Times-Herald.

One Man's Views.

She—It's a woman's privilege to change her mind, you know.

He—Yes, and her age, too, but she takes her time in doing it. — Chicago Record.

Never Easy.

Mrs. Stocksand—What do the papers mean when they say "money is easy?"

Mr. Stocksand—That, my dear, is the innate love in the American heart for a joke.—Town Topics.

He Drove Well.

Husband—I was driven to drink.

Wife—Well, you didn't balk any, John.—Town Topics.

The Modesty of Nature.

Kathryn—I wonder what makes the leaves of the trees turn red in the fall.

Zaneta—Probably blushing at their bare limbs.—Harlem Life.

His State of Mind.

"Your bookkeeper is subject to fits of ill-humor, isn't he?"

"No; he has widely isolated attacks of amiability."—Chicago Record.

But It Always Does.

Uncle Bob—Lightning never strikes twice in the same place.

Johnny—I wish ma's slipper didn't.—N. Y. Journal.

Very Strong Indeed.

Bacon—Is an onion like a leek?

Egbert—Well, yes; there is a very strong resemblance.—Yonkers Statesman.

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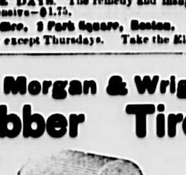

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LEAVE BRAINTREE FOR WEYMOUTH LANDING AND EAST WEYMOUTH.—6.28, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.05 P.M. Sundays, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.05 P.M.

LEAVE LINCOLN SQUARE FOR BRAINTREE.—6.10, 6.30, 7.12, 7.42, 8.12, 8.42 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.42 P.M. Sundays, 8.12, 8.42, 9.12, 9.42 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.42 P.M.

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LEAVE LINCOLN SQUARE FOR EAST WEYMOUTH.—6.12, 6.45, 7.18, 7.48, 8.18, 8.48 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.18 P.M. Sundays, 8.48, 9.18, 9.48 A.M., then each half hour until and including 11.18 P.M.

LEAVE EAST WEYMOUTH, JACKSON SQUARE, FOR BRAINTREE.—6.00, 6.15, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.30 P.M. Sundays, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00 A.M., then each half hour until and including 10.30 P.M.

LEAVE EAST WEYMOUTH, JACKSON SQUARE, FOR SOUTH WEYMOUTH DEPOT.—5.35, 5.50, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 A.M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 9.30, (10.30 P.M. to Columbian Square). Sundays, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 A.M., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, (10.30 P.M. to Columbian Square).

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LYRIC OF THE BUCK-SAW.

Ur-r rick, ur-r raw,
Ur-r rick, ur-r raw!
Have you buckled your back to an old buck-saw?
Have you doubled your knee on a knotty stick
And bobbed to the tune of ur-raw—ur-r rick?
Have you sawed till your eyeballs goggled and popped,
Till your heart seemed lead and your breath was stopped?
Have you yeaked her up and yawked her down,
—As doleful a lad as there was in town?
If so we can talk of the back-bent woe
That followed the youngsters of long ago.
Ah, urban chap with your anthracite
Pass on, for you cannot fathom, quite,
The talk that I made with this other chap
Who got no cuddling in comfort's lap.
You'll scarcely follow me when I sing
Of the rasping buck-saw's dancing spring.
For the rugged rhythm is fashioned for
The ear that remembers ur-r rick, ur-r raw.

Ur-r raw, ur-r rick
Ur-r raw, ur-r rick!
We pecked at our mountain stick by stick.
Our dad was a man who was mighty good
In getting the women folks lots of wood.
And as soon as sledding came on to stay
Jack got all work and he got no play.
For daily the ox-sleds creaked and crawked
'Till the yard was full and the buck-saws talked.
'Twas rugged toil and we humped our backs,
But we scarce kept pace with dad's big ax.
There were bitter mornings of "ten below,"
There were days of bluster and days of snow,
But with double mittens, a big wool scarf
And coonskin earlaps we used to laugh
At the fussiest blast old Boreas shrieked
And the nippingest pinches Jack Frost tweaked.
We were warm as the blade of the yanking saw
That steamed to the tune of ur-r rick, ur-r raw!

Ur-raw, ur-r rick,
Ur-r raw, ur-r rick!
Ho, men at the desks, there, dull and sick!
You slap your hands to your stiff old backs
At thought of the days of the saw and the ax,
And you press your palms to an aching brow
And shiver to think of a saw-buck now;
But, ah, old fellows, you can't deny
You hanker a bit for the times gone by,
When the toil of the tasks that filled the day
Made bright by contrast our bits of play.
O, grateful the hour at set of sun
When the tea was hot and the biscuits "done,"
When chocking his ax in the chopping block
Dad sung: "Knock off, boys; five o'clock."
Now tell me truly, ye wearied men,
Are you ever as happy as you were then,
When you straightened your toil-bent, weary backs
At the welcome plop of dad's old ax?
And tell me truly can you forget
The sight of the table that mother set,
When dropping the saws in the twilight gloom,
We trooped to the cheer of the dear fore-room,
And there in the red shade's mellow light
Made feast with a grand, good appetite?
—Made feast at the sweet, old homespun board
On the plum preserves and the cran' jell stored
For demands like these; and made great holes
In the heaps of the cream o' tartar rolls;
Ah, gusto! fickle and faint above
The savory viands you used to love,
What wouldn't you give for the sharp-set tang
That followed those days when the steel teeth sang?
—For zest was as keen as the bright, swift saw
When you humped to the tune of ur-r rick, ur-r raw.

—Holman F. Day, in Lewiston Journal.

Lee Hall, Fighting Man

By N. A. Jennings.

THERE is one fighting man who has gone with Uncle Sam's army to the Philippines of whom the great American public knows little or nothing, but whose name throughout the state of Texas stands as a synonym for desperate courage and fighting qualities of the highest order. He is Lee Hall, now a lieutenant in the Thirty-third United States infantry, but he earned the rank of captain in the Texas rangers by years of the hardest kind of service on the border.

Lee Hall succeeded Capt. L. H. McNelly, in 1878, to the command of the Texas ranger company that had more to do with ridding Texas of her notorious "bad men," and with putting a stop to the wholesale cattle-raiding on the lower Rio Grande frontier, than any other agency. With these rangers Hall did some magnificent work and became renowned for his fearlessness in a country where brave men are the rule. With but 17 of his men, one stormy night in December, 1876, he arrested over 70 armed desperadoes in DeWitt county, Tex., members of the Sutton faction of the Taylor-Sutton feud, which had raged in that county for nearly 20 years, and had caused the killing of hundreds of men on both sides. On the night in question all the Sutton following had gathered at the wedding of one of their number, a man who, with six others, had been indicted for a cold-blooded murder. Hall took his men to the place, surrounded the house, and then boldly entered and stated that he had come to arrest the murderers. The desperadoes drew their six shooters and said they would die before giving up.

"Very well," answered Hall. "Move out your women and children and we'll give you all the fight you want. My men expected a fight when they came here, and I don't want to disappoint them. I'll give you five minutes to get the women and children out—then we'll turn loose."

The outlaws knew their man and that he meant every word he said, and they began to parley. Hall saw his opportunity, and called two of the rangers to his side. Then he told the Suttonites to give up their arms quickly if they would avoid being killed. In a few minutes the desperadoes were disarmed, and the next morning the accused murderers were landed safely in jail. Nothing but supreme courage and coolness could have accomplished such a remarkable feat, but that is just what Lee Hall had.

Hall personally arrested Ham White, the most dreaded and successful "road agent" Texas ever knew, a man who invariably "worked alone," and who, single-handed, robbed many a stage coach. Hall trailed White from the scene of one of his exploits, caught him in a livery stable in a town 50 miles away, and arrested him. White was armed with two six-shooters and showed fight, but Hall sprang at him, knocked him down, and overpowered him after a desperate struggle.

Hall was in at the killing of the notorious Sam Bass and his gang of bank robbers and cutthroats, and in dozens of other noted encounters with the outlaws who gave to Texas such a terrible reputation in the years gone by.

But it was before he became a ranger that Hall won his spurs as a fighting man in Texas. He was born in Lexington, N. C., in October, 1849, and came of old revolutionary stock by both his parents. Among his ancestors were the famous Gen. Giles Melane and Gov. Stanford, of North Carolina. Lee went to Texas in search of adventure when he was 20 years old, and found it when he became deputy sheriff in Grayson county, just south of the line of the Indian territory.

In a little less than two years the young deputy sheriff made 1,060 arrests, killed seven men, and was wounded five times. His fame as an officer of the law spread far and wide; it was a foregone conclusion that any man Hall undertook to arrest would be made a prisoner or would be a subject for the coroner.

There was one desperado, however, a man named Wilkinson, who had managed to elude Hall for months and who had sworn he would never be taken alive. He was wanted for cattle stealing and murder. Many a long, weary day and night had the young deputy sheriff hunted for this man, and Wilkinson at last grew tired of being sought so persistently. He sent a message to Hall, who was in Dennison, in which he said that if the deputy sheriff wanted him so badly he could come and get him on a certain day. Wilkinson said that he would be on a little prairie about 18 miles from Dennison at four o'clock on the afternoon of that day and would meet Hall there, provided the latter came after him alone. The outlaw pledged his word that he, also, would be alone. If Hall could arrest him under those circumstances he said he was welcome to do it.

And Lee Hall accepted the invitation and the terms.

Early on the morning of the appointed day he mounted his horse, and with a breech-loading shotgun and a six-shooter for arms rode out from Dennison to keep the appointment. The sheriff tried in vain to dissuade his deputy from the undertaking, and begged him at least to take a posse with him to surround Wilkinson and surprise him into giving up, but Hall would not listen to him.

"No," he said; "Wilkinson has made a fair, square offer, and I believe he'll keep his word and be there alone. If a desperado can keep a promise, I think I ought to be man enough to do the same, and I'll meet him on his own terms. And," he added, "if I come back he'll be with me."

The place of meeting was a clear space about half a mile square, surrounded on all sides by mesquit, chaparral and live oak woods. At precisely four o'clock Hall rode out from the southern edge of the chaparral on to the prairie, and a minute later Wilkinson rode into view from the north end. He, too, was armed with shotgun and revolver. The men were within plain sight of each other, but too far away to exchange shots. At the same instant they urged their ponies into a gallop and made straight for each other, both holding their shotguns ready for action.

No more evenly matched men, perhaps, had ever met in a duel to the death, for such they knew their meeting must be. Each was a perfect horseman and a fine marksman. Neither knew the meaning of fear.

They approached each other rapidly and were soon within hailing distance, but not a sound escaped their lips; they were there for action, not words. Just before they got close enough to each other to use their shotguns effectively both men dropped their bodies Indian fashion to the sides of their horses, so as to present as small a target as possible, their guns being pointed over their horses' necks.

They fired at the same instant. Hall wore an overcoat with a cape attached to it, and the buckshot from the single discharge of Wilkinson's gun almost cut this cape from its fastenings, but not a shot hit the deputy. Hall also fired one barrel of his shotgun, and the charge entered the neck of Wilkinson's horse, knocking him down. Wilkinson sprang off and landed on his knees as his horse went crashing to the ground. His shotgun fell from his hands and the horse fell on the weapon.

"I've got you!" yelled Hall, wheeling his horse about, straightening up in the saddle and pointing his gun straight at the outlaw's head. "Give up now or I'll kill you!"

"You've got the drop on me, all right," answered Wilkinson, as he looked coolly into the muzzle of the shotgun, "but if you're such a brave man as you'd have folks think you are, get down off your horse and fight it out with me with six-shooters."

No sane man would have accepted such an absurd proposition, but Lee Hall was not sane at that moment. He was fighting a duel, and his sense of fair play was uppermost in his mind. His adversary was a brave man and he should have a show for his life.

"All right," said Hall, "I'll do that, but you must promise not to pull your six-shooter until I'm down."

"That's fair," said Wilkinson; "I'll wait till you're ready."

Hall deliberately shoved his shotgun back into its scabbard under his right-hand stirrup leather. Then he sprang

Just a Hint.

"What is the longest day you ever knew?" he asked, when conversation lagged.

"This one," she replied, without even making an effort to conceal her yawn.—N. Y. World.

He Got It, Too.

"I want some more chicken," said Bobbie at the dinner table. "I think you have had as much as is good for you, dear," said Bobbie's mother. "I want more," said Bobbie. "You can't have more now; but here is a wishbone that you and mamma can pull. That will be fun. You pull one side, and I'll pull the other, and whoever gets the longer end will have their wish come true. Why, Bobbie, you've got it! What was your wish?" "I wished for some more chicken," said Bobbie, promptly. He got it this time. —London Answers.

What do the Children Drink?
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TOM THUMB AND THE QUEEN.

The Diminutive General Tried to Back Out of Her Presence, But Failed.

The American minister, Hon. Edward Everett, was very kind to his countrymen, and it was at his house that Mr. Barnum met a certain Mr. Murray, master of the queen's household, says St. Nicholas. On the day following one of the queen's life guards appeared before Mr. Barnum with a note containing an invitation from the queen to Gen. Tom Thumb and his guardian, Mr. Barnum, to appear at Buckingham palace on a specified evening.

In retiring from the royal presence, Mr. Barnum attempted to follow the example set by the lord in waiting by backing out. The gallery was of great length, and the gentlemen with long strides made rapid progress; but Tom Thumb's short legs left him far behind—or before. Seeing that he was losing ground, he turned and ran a few steps, then resumed the process of "backing." Again losing ground, he repeated the performance, to the great amusement of the royal spectators. The queen soon sent another summons, and the general, with his guardian, made a second visit to the palace, being received in the yellow drawing room.

A third visit was soon paid to Buckingham palace, and this time the queen's uncle, Leopold, king of the Belgians, was present and was greatly amused, asking many questions; and Queen Victoria, desiring the general to sing, inquired what song he preferred. "Yankee Doodle," was the prompt reply. All present laughed heartily, and her majesty said: "That is a very pretty song, general; sing it, if you please," and he did.

ESCAPE GIVING TIPS.

There Are Many Men Who Shun Their Regular Barbers in Christmas Season.

"Say, I want to tell you something that is dead straight," said Schneider, the calculating barber, according to the Philadelphia Record, as he hurried his razor over the face of one of his victims. "You notice this crowd here waiting to get shaved—well, you will be surprised when I tell you that there are only two of my regular customers among the entire men there. What does that mean? Well, not that there has been an influx into town or that the eight men have just moved into the neighborhood. It simply means that that double quartet is made up of men who are regular customers at other barber shops, but who have come here to get out of giving Christmas presents in those shops. Say, are you on?

"Oh, you'd be surprised at the number of people who every year perform the change-of-barber-shop act. We don't do any more business here, as for every strange customer who comes to us a regular customer goes to a strange shop at this season of present-giving. When they again get back to their regular shops after Christmas is over they carelessly remark that they have been out of town. 'Sh, don't talk so loud, for I don't want any of my once-a-year customers to hear you; they might go somewhere else next year. Next gent," with emphasis on the gent, the individual being one of the strangers.

WINE FROM APPLES.

It Is Made So Cleverly as to Deceive Even the Most Knowing Experts.

Science has lately made it possible to obtain good wine from the apple, which has always been devoted to sparkling cider. Experts have been deceived in sherry, madeira and sauterne which came from apple juice instead of grapes.

Juice from the apple is fermented with yeasts of different kinds brought from the grape-growing districts of Europe to this country. For instance, the flavor of sherry is due not to the grape, but to the infinitesimal fungus germs that cause its fermentation. The American companies import these germs from the district in Spain where they flourish, inoculate the apple juice and obtain a fine wine. The same process is followed with other varieties of wine.

These yeasts are obtained from the sediment in the vats of Europe. They are easily propagated, and the only difficulty is to separate the different kinds. As the quality of wine depends on these fungi winemakers have usually left to chance the kind of wine they produce, depending on the organisms which float in the air and attach themselves to the grapes. The yeasts are sold bottled, and are much in demand.

BOSTON'S BOHEMIA.

It Is Several Times More Virtuous Than Boston Society, Says This Writer.

"Here (in Pinckney street) is the freedom of the Latin quarter, with but a small amount of its license," writes Margaret Allston, in "Her Boston Experiences," in Ladies' Home Journal. "Human nature bears a close family resemblance all over the world when judged by communities with similar earmarks, but in America individuals merely pose as Bohemians; they seldom come up (or down) to the 'simon pure' article of foreign cities. America is eminently a respectable country, well washed morally, and with considerable respect for the neighbors' opinion. Americans become Bohemianized in Paris, but seldom in Boston, where the spook of Cotton Mather and other standards of respectability still hold sway with a groan and a ghostly shudder at a mishap. In truth, this Boston Bohemia stands for good spirits and innocent unconventionality, and is several times more virtuous than Boston society, no matter how pretentiously and flamboyantly the little country tries to disprove its virtue."

ON THE MISSISSIPPI.

Quaint Sights and Incidents of Travel and Traffic Along the Great River.

Passenger service on the Mississippi river is in a fairly satisfactory condition. Between St. Paul and St. Louis, and from these to New Orleans, there are large and well-built craft, with comfortable staterooms equipped with running water and spring matresses. Each steamer has a long cabin extending from stem to stern, where the tables are set for meals, and where the passengers dance in the evening. There is a piano and sundry easy chairs. It costs about as much on the boat per day as it does at a good lakeside hotel, so that a passenger virtually has the pleasure of travel for nothing. The chief difference between the life on a boat and that at a summer hotel is that, instead of viewing the same prospect day after day from a piazza, you have a new view from the boat every moment. The boat stops at every town, so that the passengers may become familiar with the urban as well as the country life of the valley. The freight of the river is always taken to and from the boat on the backs of negro roustabouts. There has been no advancement in the manner of handling it since the steamboats first plowed the river. As soon as the boat's nose touches the shore, the gangplank is lowered, and a seemingly endless procession of negroes begins to move back and forth carrying on board the bags of flour, which, on the northern portion of the river, often makes the bulk of the cargo. Plows, boxes, lumber and merchandise are the other products. River lives are much the same everywhere. The cargoes, however, are varied. They all present a picture of a hundred years ago. At Memphis, from the bluffs to the water's edge, is an immense inclined plane of granite paving stones. In the center, about 200 feet from the bluffs, runs a wide road the entire length of the levee, and disappears among the compress factories and oil mills, whose great bulk and tall chimneys appear in the distance. Between this road and the bluffs the levee is nearly level; from here to the river there is a steep descent. Above the road come and go continually a swift stream of cotton loads and empty drays, and great piles of small cargoes to and from local jobbing houses; below it there are, during busy hours, a conglomerate mass of drays, mules, cotton bales, sacks of cottonseed, darkies, and all sorts of freight. Beyond is the long row of steamers that line the shore, and in the background sweep the waters of the Mississippi. The center of activity may be one boat, such as the Big Sandy, of the Memphis & Cincinnati line, just arrived, bringing a cargo of 2,000 cotton bales that have been picked up along the river mouth. The huge pile of boxes of furniture, and bags of cottonseed are being carried, one piece at a time, by a long stream of lazy darkies, over the gangplank into the bowels of the big boat. There some laborers, returning by way of the stage plank at the prow, roll out before them the cotton bales and file them in rows some distance up the levee. Above the din of wheels rumbling over the rough pavement, drivers shout to their stupid mules. There are picturesque oaths and snatches of melody. Escaping steam, shrill whistles, the creaking of loading and unloading freight, and the bellowing of overseers, who are, as a rule, active darkies, with monstrous lungs and an inexhaustible supply of big words, mingle in busy confusion.—Ainslee's Magazine.

HUMAN BODY'S ODOR.

It Enables Animals to Trace Men Through the Densest Jungles.

The fact that certain animals, and especially the dog, will recognize the propinquity of their masters or friends although it may have been impossible for them to have seen them or heard their voices has long since suggested to physiologists and others the idea that every human being has a distinctive odor peculiar to himself, and which remains more or less constant. Otherwise, how would it be possible for the bloodhound, for instance, to take the trail of an individual and follow it for miles through crowded thoroughfares, as well as through open country, and unerringly pick out the individual from among hundreds of others?

This idea has recently received a signal verification, as we are told by Dr. Bett in the Archiv der Gesammten Physiologie. The doctor states that a friend of his, with bandaged eye and every precaution against collusion, was enabled by the sense of smell alone to recognize persons with whom he was acquainted, and to call their names the moment they came into the room and at the distance of several paces. The experiments were varied in a number of ways, but with the unerring faculty of the bloodhound, this man detected the identity of every individual presented. Other instances of a similar keenness are cited by Dr. Bett. According to the man who gave the exhibition, every family has a characteristic odor common to all the members thereof, but the intensity of which usually varies sufficiently among the various members to enable him to distinguish each individual.—Indian Lancet.

A New Arabic Notation.

There is a city magistrate living uptown who is possibly raising a mathematical prodigy in the person of his three or four-year-old daughter. She has only recently begun to attend the kindergarten, and yet meditates changes in the system of enumeration now in vogue, which, while startling, are certainly suggestive.

When asked the other day to count, she hesitated some, and then lisped:

"None, some, one, two, free, fore."—N. Y. Times.

Beyond Control.

Gadsby—My wife will raise Cain with me if she discovers that I've been drinking.

Jagsby—All you've got to do is to hold your breath when you go near her.

"That's all right; but I'm afraid it's too strong to be held." — Brooklyn Life.

Where It Was Needed.

McSwitters—No, I don't want the encyclopaedia.

Agent—Do you know anyone around here who might?

McSwitters—The man next door. He's one of those fellows who know it all.—Syracuse Herald.

Strict Truth.

She—She says she can trace her ancestry on her mother's side back to the conquest of England.

Fay—That's correct. Her maternal grandmother was married in leap year to a man named England.—Catholic Standard and Times.

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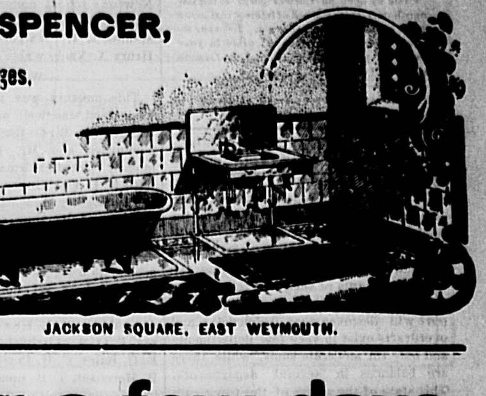

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ENTERED AT THE POST OFFICE AT WEYMOUTH, MASS., AS SECOND-CLASS MATTER.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23, 1900.

The annual town reports are being distributed to the citizens this week and the books will be carefully read by intelligent voters. The town warrant is also out with its 61 articles describing the needs and wants of the town for the coming year. The readers of the town report will discover that deficiencies and overdrafts exist in very few departments and only for moderate sums, while there are balances in several departments. This state of the affairs of the town cannot but be gratifying to the citizens as it means a lower tax rate for the coming year, by perhaps $2 or more on the thousand as estimated, as we understand, by the selectmen, provided of course that the town is not unduly lavish in its appropriations.

If our friends miss items this week that they expected to see, we will explain that owing to press of unusual matter, and yesterday being a holiday, several matters are necessarily left over until next week.

We notice in the official statement of Admiral Hichborn, the following: The Fore River Engine Co. is in advance of all other firms with the sixteen torpedo boat destroyers, the Lawrence standing at 82 per cent and the Macdonough at 80 per cent. The others range all the way down to 8 per cent. completed.

The legislative committee on Roads and Bridges will visit Quincy Point bridge Monday afternoon, and will also inspect the plant of the Fore River Engine Co. The hearings on the two bills regarding the bridge question will be held at the State House, Tuesday forenoon next, one at 10.30 and the other at 11.30. It is hoped that many will attend and endeavor to secure the important improvements needed in our largest bridge, and also to throw the cost of these public-highway-bridges on to the broader shoulders of the counties of Plymouth and Norfolk. The official notice of the hearing before the committee on Roads and Bridges appears in this paper.

A. W. B.

The millinium is very near. When the work of Representative Carey of Haverhill is completed every boy in the Commonwealth will receive a college education and no one under twenty-one years of age will be allowed to work. Mr. Carey's large heart and philanthropy is not devoted wholly to the young; he has a tender spot for the aged, and when a man has arrived at the age of three score and ten he is to be retired on a liberal pension, spending his declining years in comfort.

Frank P. Bennett's bill to reimburse the town of Saugus in the sum of $100,000 for money spent on the old Salem turnpike since it became a public highway, is a fine thing as far as the town of Saugus is concerned, but it is a piece of legislation on which the state should go slow. There have been turnpikes and turnpikes and from time to time they have been taken as town, county or state roads and when once the bars are let down to reimburse towns for money spent on these roads there will be no limit to claims which may be made.

M. E. H.

PYTHIANS WILL CELEBRATE.

Delphi Lodge, No. 15 to Observe Thirtieth Anniversary Wednesday.

One of the most promising social events of the coming week is the anniversary of Delphi Lodge, No. 15, K. of P. This is the thirty-sixth anniversary of the order and the thirtieth anniversary of the lodge and the committee in charge has spared no efforts to make the affair an enjoyable one. The event will be marked by a musical and literary programme, a supper and a dance.

Johnson—Dyer.

The spacious residence of Mrs. James Logan, president of the Worcester Envelope Co. at Worcester was the scene on Wednesday of a very pleasant gathering of family friends when Hattie Louise Dyer, for several years until recently a resident of South Weymouth, was united in marriage to Julius Palmer Johnson, the brother of Mrs. Logan and a member of the firm of L. Johnson and Son, jewellers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry C. Alvord of the Old South Church, South Weymouth. There were many tokens of love and esteem. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will reside in Worcester near where her earlier life was passed.

VALUE OF A VOTE,

. . . OR . . .

Preparation for Weymouth Election and Town Meeting.

A sermon to be preached by Frank B. Cressey at the Weymouth Baptist Church, next Sabbath evening, seven (7) o'clock, February 25th, 1900.

What sort of men should be elected to office? Is our caucus system defective? Who should attend town meeting? How about special meetings? Are our taxes high enough? How about the alleged saloon clubs? What may women do for Weymouth politically?

REPUBLICAN WARD CAUCUS.

Slates Made for the Year Ending March 1901.

Officers of Experience Endorsed by Renomination to Positions Previously Filled.

The republican voters of Weymouth met in the several wards in town, as per previous announcement, last Friday night to transact business preparatory to the general caucus to be held in Engine Hall, East Weymouth, Saturday night and following is the result:

WARD 1.

At the ward caucus Friday evening there was an unusually large attendance and a number of excited debates on certain nominations. The following officers were nominated: Selectman, George L. Newton; school committee, Dr. W. A. Drake; assessor, Wilmot Cleverly; constables, I. H. Walker, Frank Richards. Henry A. Nash, water commissioner.

WARD 2.

This meeting was held in the Opera House and was well attended. The call was read by W. C. Earle, chairman of the committee, and Mr. Earle was subsequently elected chairman of the meeting with N. D. Canterbury as secretary.

The meeting immediately proceeded to business of the hour and its work was finished in about twenty minutes.

Nelson W. Gardner was nominated by acclamation for selectman and overseer of poor; John W. Bates, for assessor; Nathaniel B. Peare and Asa B. Pratt, for constables; M. E. Hawes, H. L. Humphrey, E. Q. S. Litchfield, William Tobin, E. G. Bates, C. H. Pratt, F. N. Bates, C. B. Merchant, T. B. Loud and J. F. Cushing, delegates to the general caucus. It was also voted to support the name of John A. Raymond at the general caucus for town clerk, John H. Stetson for treasurer, and Willard J. Dunbar for collector of taxes.

J. E. Farrell caused a little deviation by getting the floor and attempting a speech in regard to road commissioner; he was called to order by the chair and replied with remarks laid down as not in accordance with parliamentary usages and customs. Officer Butler was sent to suppress the flow of unparliamentary language, and the meeting adjourned.

WARD 3.

The meeting in this ward was held in Engine Hall, and was called to order at 7.45 by Representative E. W. Hunt who was afterward elected chairman of the meeting, with William Wallace as secretary. The meeting then proceeded to the business of the evening which was transacted in less than thirty minutes. Charles E Bicknell was nominated by acclamation for selectman and overseer of the poor, Francis H. Cowing for assessor, Thomas Fitzgerald and James T. Pease for constables, trustees of Tufts Library Rev. J. B. Holland and J. B. Rhines. The meeting also voted to support John A. Raymond for town clerk at the general caucus, John A. Stetson for treasurer, and Willard J. Dunbar for collector of taxes. The following were appointed delegates to the general caucus: John J. Loud H. F. Perry, John Neal, W. S. Hollis, Charles Whitten, Patrick Corridan, William S. Wallace, E. F. Sterling, Charles A. Carpenter, Charles R. Trott.

WARD 4.

Engine Hall was the place appointed for the caucus in this part of the town. Bradford Hawes called the meeting to order and read the call, and the election of a chairman and a secretary were next in order. The honor in the former case was bestowed upon Charles Hawes, while in the latter case, N. Herbert Goodspeed was the choice.

The meeting made the following nominations; Selectman and overseer of the poor, Bradford Hawes; assessor, Gilman B. Loud; constables, George B. Bayley, George F. Maynard; school committee for three years, Bradford Hawes. Henry A. Nash was recommended for water commissioner, and it was voted to support the retiring corps of town officials.

The following delegates were appointed to attend the general caucus: N. Herbert Goodspeed, Charles Hawes, Gilman B. Loud, George F. Hunt, Adolphus Poole, Walter Pratt, Wilton A. Loud, George B. Bayley, Frank Loud, Frank Ray.

WARD 5.

This meeting convened at Engine Hall and occupied about twenty-five minutes. The meeting was called to order and the call read by Edward B. Nevin, who was afterwards elected chairman, and George C. Torrey secretary. The business of the hour was then taken up and executed with promptness and despatch. The following nominations were made by acclamation: Selectman and overseer of the poor, Gordon Willis; assessor, George C. Torrey; constables, and Michael Allen. The caucus also voted to support the retiring town officials, viz.: Clerk, John A. Raymond; treasurer, John H. Stetson; collector of taxes, Willard J. Dunbar. The following delegates were appointed to attend the general caucus: George C. Torrey, Louis A. Cook, Alvin Hollis, L. A. Blanchard, Peter J. Healey, Edgar S Wright, William Loud, Rev. H. C. Alvord, Clifford Ford, Gordon Willis.

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AT WEYMOUTH, IN THE STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS

At the close of Business, February 13, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts,		$281,614 88
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		367 23
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,		70,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds,		3,200 00
Stocks, securities, etc.,		27,445 93
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures,		11,759 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		5,594 85
Due from approved reserve agents,		16,370 87
Checks and other cash items,		2,608 22
Notes of other National Banks,		315 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents,		106 65
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie,	$14,252 10	
Legal Tender Notes,	5,270 00	
		19,522 10
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer, Five per cent of circulation,		3,150 00
Total,		$442,052 73

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in,	$200,000 00
Surplus Fund,	40,000 00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	11,115 63
National Bank Notes outstanding,	60,930 00
Dividends unpaid,	982 00
Individual Deposits, subject to check,	127,430 10
Liabilities other than those above stated,	1,595 00
Total,	$442,052 73

State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, } S.S.

I, HENRY A. NASH, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY A. NASH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21st day of February, 1900.

CHAS. T. CRANE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

AUGUSTUS J. RICHARDS, T. H. HUMPHREY, GEO. H. BICKNELL, } Directors.

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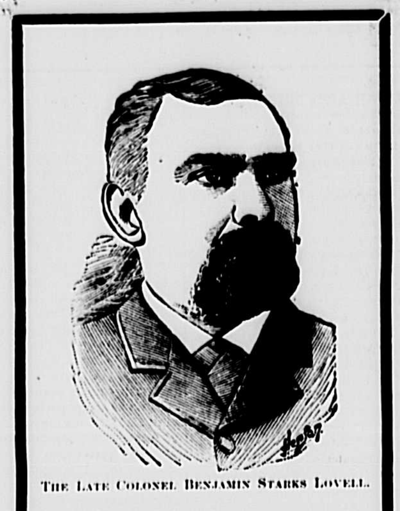

THE LATE COLONEL BENJAMIN STARKS LOVELL.

After a long and hard struggle to overcome the disease with which he has been battling for more than two months, Col. B. S. Lovell passed away at his home on Station street in East Weymouth last Monday at 1.30 p. m.

Col. Lovell was the second of the family of boys of the late John P. and Lydia (Whiten) Lovell and was born in East Weymouth, July 10th, 1845. He was a lineal descendant in the seventh generation of Robert Lovell of the "Hull Company" which settled in Weymouth two hundred and sixty-five years ago.

At the time of his death he was finishing the last half of his 55th year and few men have crowded more life into the same length of time. His school days were spent in his native village and terminated with his grammar course when about 16 years of age, at which time he began his business life in the general merchandise store of Henry Loud.

He had mastered but a limited part of the trade when the Civil War began and though but a lad of 17, he became thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the times and enlisted in Co. A, 42d Massachusetts Volunteers. The regiment saw service under Banks and Butler at New Orleans and other places in Louisiana and Col. Lovell remained with it until the expiration of his term of enlistment.

On being mustered out he entered the store of his father John P. Lovell, and as he grew into the business was largely instrumental in making the J. P. Lovell Arms Co. one of the best known concerns in the world dealing in sporting goods; he was for several years treasurer of the company and on the death of his father three years ago succeeded him as president.

Col. Lovell's activity was not confined to business circles alone, in political and social life he found large fields for work and few men have occupied more positions.

The G. A. R. had in him one of its warmest advocates and most ardent supporters. He was senior vice commander of Reynolds Post for five years and commander for fifteen consecutive years. He served two terms as junior and senior vice-department-commander, two terms as aid-de-camp of Gen. John C. Robinson commander-in-chief; a term on the staff of Gen. Alger and another on the staff of Gen. Palmer.

In politics he represented his native town in the Legislature three years as representative and one as senator, was on the staff of Gov. Long for three years and continued in the same capacity under Gov. Greenhalge and four times has been elected as delegate to the National Republican conventions. The Republican Town Committee of Weymouth has had him on its membership a large part of the time for a quarter of a century.

Other fraternal organizations than the G. A. R. have him on their roll of membership and among them are: Orphans' Hope Lodge F. and A. M., South Shore Commandery, K. T., Crescent Lodge, I. O. O. F., and Wompatuck Encampment, I. O. O. F.

Nearly thirty-three years ago Col. Lovell was married to M. Anna, daughter of Johnathan and Mercy Holmes, and for those thirty years their home was on Station street where friends received the most cordial greeting and were most hospitably entertained. Two daughters have been born to them, L. Charlotte, widow of the late Henry A. Richards, and Helen Isabella. Mrs. Richards, whose home has been with her father since the death of Mr Richards, has, with her mother been a most untiring watcher by the bedside of her father, but kind and tender care of wife and daughter was of no avail.

OBSEQUIES.

Nature wept yesterday with the many mourners for Col. Lovell and a more inauspicious day in a whole year's calendar could not have been selected for the last solemn rites to have been performed, but arrangements as previously made were carried out as far as weather conditions would permit.

At half past nine o'clock a short service, conducted by Rev. F. A. Poole, was held at his late home, the immediate family and a few personal friends being present and the remains were conveyed to the Congregational Church under the following guard detailed from Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R., and in charge of Capt. C. W. Hastings, Addison H. Belcher, Thomas B. Loud, Chas. H. Bicknell, John Fennell, Rufus S. Turple, Wm. H. Moran, Geo. F. Maynard and Charles R. Trott. The color bearers were B. F. Richards, and George Cole; guides, Geo. L. Newton, and Austin P. Beard.

The bearers were T. J. Evans and Geo. Cushing from South Shore Commandery; E. G. Bates and Wendall B. Clapp, Orphan's Hope Lodge, F. and A. M.; Elbridge Nash and T. B. Nichols of Reynolds Post and W. C. Earle and Daniel L. Hart from Crescent Lodge, I. O. O. F. N. D. Canterbury was master of ceremonies for the day at the church.

The body of Col. Lovell was placed in front of the altar where it lay in state until 1 o'clock. Many people braved the storm to come and take a last look at their friend and fellow-citizen and in passing we would say that the floral tributes which filled every available space on and around the altar have never been equalled in the place for variety and richness.

Public funeral services were announced to take place at 1.30 o'clock and at that time the church was filled with people embracing members of the family, delegations from various organizations in Boston and elsewhere, Reynolds Post 58, G. A. R., Orphan's Hope Lodge, F. and A. M., South Shore Commandery, Crescent Lodge, I. O. O. F. and Wompatuck Encampment.

Among the distinguished visitors from abroad were Ex-Gov. Roger Wolcott, Gen. A. P. Martin, Sec. of State Wm. M. Olin, Capt. J. G. B. Adams, Dep. Com. P. D. Smith, S. V. C., S. A. Barton, J. V. C., Gen. W. W. Blackmer, Surgeon General Dr. W. H. Baker, P. D. C., John E. Gilman, Geo. W. Creasey and E. W. Hall.

Arthur M. Raymond was at the organ and opened the exercises. Singing was by the Albion Quartette and their first selection was "The Lord is my Shepherd," which was followed with scripture selections by Rev. Daniel Evans, after which the quartette sang "I'm a Pilgrim," solos by Mr. Remely. Mr. Evans followed with a eulogy of the departed in which a glowing tribute was paid to his qualities as a comrade and citizen. Rev. F. A. Poole next offered prayer and added a brief eulogy to that already delivered after which the quartette sang "Passing out of the Shadow," with solos by Mr. Bartlett.

Crescent Lodge burial services were rendered by N. G., Geo. H. Walker and Chaplain James M. Dunbar and Orphan's Hope Lodge W. M., Joseph Chase and Chaplain M. E. Hawes, the quartette assisting in the latter service with two selections, "No shadow Yonder" and "One Vacant Chair."

The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Daniel Evans and under escort of Reynolds Post the remains were conveyed to Fairmount cemetery where the solemn and impressive ceremony of the G. A R. was performed with Bradford Hawes chaplain, a firing squad and George A. White as bugler, and the remains of one of Weymouth's and Boston's most active men will remain in the receiving tomb until such time as arrangements may be made for final burial in the family lot.

BENJAMIN S LOVELL.

Again the hearts of the members of Reynolds Post, No. 58, Grand Army of the Republic, are bowed in grief. The Great Commander of the Universe has spoken in that voice to which all must sooner or later listen. Comrade Benjamin S. Lovell has answered life's last roll-call, and been mustered out of earthly service. Opposite his name on our roster is now written, "Dead."

And yet, in the midst of our grief there comes the uplifting thought, Comrade Lovell was a true patriot, a noble man. One of the first and one of the youngest to answer his country's call, he set an example which influenced many to take on themselves the honor and the peril of a soldier's life that our nation might not be forced to a dishonorable death. In his soldier experiences his honoring and honorable father stood back of him with open purse and encouraging words, father and son thus uniting to make the family name one of which Weymouth may well be proud.

Comrade Lovell's patriotic services were not confined to his months in the army. After, as during that time, he was ever manifestly true to his country. When this our Grand Army post was organized in 1868 he was among its earliest members, and in 1876 was elected Commander, a position which was heartily accorded him for fourteen years in succession. As our Commander he honored us. Grand Army Post, 58, was of his greatest prides, and this not only during his commandership, but in all succeeding years. Successful in business, and generous to the last degree, he ever freely gave of his means for our benefit, even as in the post room and around the camp-fire he delighted to be with us.

Nor was Comrade Lovell as a Grand Army man identified only with us as a post. The Commonwealth and the Nation learned to know his name and to appreciate his patriotism and nobility of nature. His face was familiar at State and National Encampments, as well as in the conventions of our largest political life. In both spheres of usefulness he rendered distinguished service, ever having specially in mind the welfare of the soldiers and sailors of 1861-5. Thus he in no small degree brought Post 58 into added prominence and honor.

But Comrade Lovell's days are now ended, and we shall be gladdened and strengthened by his presence no more. We here gather not about the camp-fire of mirth, but about the opening tomb of death. Our hearts speak to him, but his lips answer not. We salute the dead, but the salute is not returned. We stand at "parade rest" while the strains of funeral dirge repeat the story of our bereavement, while the triple volley of musketry emphasizes anew the fact that life's battle has come to another ending, while the sounding "taps" speak of rest, and the chaplain's voice of prayer lift our hearts to God who alone can give comfort and salvation, and then come to "attention" only to realize that the "Grand Encampment" of eternity is now our comrade's home.

Farewell, comrade; our hearts love thee too tenderly to permit us to forget thee. We leave thee sleeping where the silent sentinels pace their ceaseless beat, but it is only to go to new lives of devotion to country, to fellow men, to our Creator God.

In behalf of Grand Army Post, No. 58,

FRANK B. CRESSEY,
THOMAS B. NICHOLS,
GEORGE L. NEWTON,
Committee.

Weymouth, Mass., February 22d, 1900.

THE WEEK'S OFFERINGS

AT THE BIG STORE.

The Sale of Wrappers

still goes on—many of the best trades are only part gone, prices are the same as last week and many of the lots grow better as we put in fresh goods that we wish to close out.

Two Spring Styles

These are new arrivals. One lot made of good quality Percale, trimmed with braid and made with wide flounce $1.25

One lot of special dressmaker made Wrappers of fine French Percales. The most exclusive styles $2.19 and $2.49

Coming events cast their shadows before. Already spring goods are commencing to arrive—not many as yet but an item here and there—shadows as it were, of what is to follow. They are the first blossoms of the coming styles and the wise ones will pick them while they are still new.

Organdies

These will be Fashion's favorites the coming season, and it is not surprising. They are the daintiest patterns imaginable and you cannot help liking them 12 1-2c

Grenadines

These popular goods are to be much in vogue this Summer. They are about the same as in season's past. The price is a little lower though 10c

Sharon Cords

These are a novelty printed goods, with a cord running lengthwise. Small patterns suitable for children 6 1-4c

Fancy Lawns

These are exquisite—that's the only word that will describe them. Designs for Shirt Waists They are going fast already. Do not put off looking at these 12 1-2c

Cotton Underwear

Some new arrivals this week and extra good qualities

SKIRTS

This lot of very fine cotton, with a flounce, 15 inches wide of fine Hamburg and Tucking. These are well worth $2.25 $1.75

Corset Covers

One lot of 25c covers. The sizes broken, cut to 19c

Better ones 37 1-2c to 75c

Hamburg

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Gloves

All of our $1.00 and $1.25 Gloves, next week reduced to 79c

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NORTH WEYMOUTH.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barker were pleasantly surprised Friday evening, at their home on Pearl street, by a lot of friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lyman J. Peterson, entertained the Algonquin Club, Saturday evening.

—Will B. Dasha is ill at his home on North street.

—The Pilgrim Church Circle entertainment has been indefinitely postponed.

—Division 15, A. O. H., held its Fifth Social Dance in Engine Hall, Wednesday evening. Richardson's Orchestra furnished the music; and Joseph Mack, assisted by Timothy Dwyer, David Kearns, John Kearns, Patrick Mack, Patrick O'Rouke, and William Gray had charge of the floor.

—Mrs. George Clark gave a Whist Party, Friday evening, at her home on Curtis street. Ices and salads were served.

—Clement Curtis is ill at his home on Lovell street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook were pleasantly surprised, Monday evening, by the Bicknell Corner Club, at their home on Bridge street.

—The Athens school held Memorial exercises, Wednesday afternoon.

—At a special Parish meeting of the Third Church, Thursday evening, it was voted to ask Rev. M. S. Nash of Hanover, to accept the position of pastor for one year, commencing March first.

—Mrs. Harrington, widow of W. Scott Harrington, died Saturday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Minot Poole, Newton street, of typhoid, aged 57 years. Deceased was well known in this place, and leaves a daughter. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, Rev. T. H. Vincent, officiating. The interment was at Old North.

—Lewis Flannigan died Wednesday morning, at his home on Lovell street, of consumption, aged 64 years. Deceased was a resident for the past two years, having formerly resided in Somerville.

EXHIBITION AT TUFTS LIBRARY.

The Alps.

This exhibition consists of 100 photographs owned by the Appalachian Mountain Club of Boston and loaned to the Library Art Club.

These photographs were taken by Vittorio Sella, an amateur photographer who has spent many summers among the Alps. The pictures are uncommon and give "Vivid glimpses of the wonderful and unknown world of snow and ice which exists in the high Alps. Climbers have hitherto been the only ones to see these things." Snow scenery so beautifully represented has never been seen before. The exhibition will be opened Feb. 28 to continue through March 17th. These pictures have been enjoyed in many places and should attract large numbers in our town.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Church Notices.

Under this heading the pastors of *all* the churches are cordially invited to make such announcements of services, etc., as they may wish. We only stipulate that such notices to be inserted shall reach us at the least, on Thursday morning of each week—the day before publication. Unless copy is received *each week* no announcement will appear.

PILGRIM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, (North Weymouth). Rev. Thomas H. Vincent, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday school, 11.45 a. m. Endeavor meeting at 6.15 p. m. Vestry service at 7.00. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 7.30. A cordial invitation to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Weymouth) Frank B. Cressey, pastor. Lord's Day services: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Bible school at 12. Young people's meeting at 5.45 Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7.30 p. m. Morning sermon, "Knowing God." Evening, "Value of a Vote."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. (East Braintree.) Rev. F. K. Baker, pastor. Sunday services are held as follows: Morning service, 10.30. Sabbath School 12 m. Junior League, 3.15 p. m. Epworth League, 6.15 p. m. Praise service, 7.15 (Book used, Chorus of Praise.) Evening service 7.30. Class meeting Tuesday, 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7.30 p. m. Subject of Sunday morning sermon, "Not Conformed but Transformed." Theme of evening service, "The Constructive and Destructive influences in character building."

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (Weymouth). Preaching in the morning at 10.30. Sunday School at 12 m.

OLD NORTH CHURCH (Weymouth Heights) Rev. R. R. Kendall, pastor. Preaching service at 10.30. Sunday School 12. Evening service at 7 o'clock Thursday evening, 7.30. All are cordially invited

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. Frank E. Butler, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday School at 12. Evening service at 7.

TRINITY CHURCH (Weymouth) Rev. William Hyde, rector. Service with sermon next Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Sunday School at 12 m. Evening service at 7.30. Service with address on Wednesday and Friday of next week at 7.45 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, (East Weymouth). Rev. A. W. Kingsley, pastor. Morning worship and preaching at 10.30. Sunday School at noon. Epworth League meeting at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7.00 p. m. Tuesday evenings, 7.45 p. m. prayer meetings. Thursday evenings 7.45, class meetings. Holy Communion, first Sunday in every month at 2.30 p. m.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (Weymouth and Braintree) Rev. H. S. Snyder, pastor. Morning service 10.30. Sunday School 12. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Vesper service Sunday evening; there will be a concert exercise. The pastor will speak on "Longings for Heaven." All are invited to attend these services.

TEMPERANCE HALL (East Weymouth) Gospel temperance meeting at 5 p. m

OLD SOUTH CHURCH (South Weymouth). Rev. H. C. Alvord, pastor. 10.30 a. m., morning worship 11.45, Sunday school 6 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. 7 p. m., preaching service in the church. Sermons by the pastor. All cordially invited.

UNITARIAN CHURCH (East Weymouth) Service at 3.00 p. m.

PORTER M. E. CHURCH (Lovell's Corner) Rev. Wm. Kirkby, pastor. Sunday School at 12.45. Preaching service at 2 p. m. Epworth League at 6.00. Social and Praise service at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER (South Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately

CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART (Weymouth) Rev. J. J. Murphy, pastor. Rev. J. B. Holland, assistant. Mass at 9.00 and 10.30 a. m. alternately. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

ZION'S HILL CHAPEL, (East Weymouth) Social service at 2 and 6.30 p. m.

FREE MISSION CHAPEL, (Nash). Sunday-school at 12 m. Preaching service at 1.30. Evening service at 7.30 p. m.

SECOND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (South Weymouth. Rev. L. W. Attwood, pastor. Morning service, 10.30. Sunday School, 12. Y. P. C. U., 7 p. m.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH (North Weymouth). Afternoon service 2.30. Sunday School at 1 p. m. Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m.

CHURCH OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION (East Weymouth), Rev. Fr. Begley, pastor. High Mass at 10.30 a. m. Vespers at 7.45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH (East Weymouth). Rev. Francis A. Poole, pastor. Morning worship at 10.30 a m. Sunday School at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. Social service at 7. p. m.

Change on Appropriation

Mr. Louis A. Cook announces the substitution of Howard Houghton in place of Walter R. Field as a member of the committee.

New Registry of Deeds.

John H. Burdakin, Esq., Register of Deeds for Norfolk County has submitted a report on the increase of registering of deeds. He states that during the thirty-seven years in which he has been connected with the registery, 551 volumes have been written, and there are now 862 volumes in all. In no year prior to 1895 did the annual number of instruments recorded exceed 10,000. In the year 1897, however, there were recorded 13,122. Improvements have been made to allow access to these volumes, but the rooms are inadequate for the business and it is hoped that a new Registry of Deeds will be erected on the lot opposite the Court House, which was purchased several years ago.

WANTS, FOR SALE, TO LET, etc.

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No ads. accepted in this department unless accompanied with the cash.

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WANTED. By a lady of experience, a position as housekeeper in a small family, or would care for an invalid. Address for one week, to E. P., P. O Box 236, Brockton. 47-1t

WANTED. People to know that it costs only 25 cents to make known their wants in this column.

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At the Universalist Church, Weymouth.

Thursday Evening, March 1,

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Rev. Melvin S. Nash,

For the benefit of the Sunday School.

The present war in South Africa has brought into prominence a people who previously were almost unknown to the average man or woman in the United States; today they stand forth as valiant defenders of their homes against the aggression of a powerful nation, and thereby excite the sympathy and admiration of all liberty-loving citizens, as well as a curiosity to know more about their home life and characteristics. This lecture will tell you all about them and will be fully illustrated with the stereopticon, making it deeply interesting.

All should avail themselves of this opportunity.

Admission for Adults, 20 cents. Children 12 years of age and under, 10 cents. Doors open at 7. To commence at 7.45 P. M. 47-1t

CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned desire to express their thanks to those who by their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our mother, did all that friends and neighbors could do to soften our bereavement.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. —STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 21, 1900. The Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 961 for a new bridge over Weymouth Fore River, at room No. 426, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 27, at 11.00 o'clock A. M. SAM'L S. GLEASON, Chairman. W. S. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee. 47 1t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS —STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 20, 1900. The Committee on Railroads will give a hearing to parties interested in petition and bill (House No. 36) for the consent of the Commonwealth to the lease of the Boston and Albany Railroad to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and the supplemental contract for the sale of certain real estate and other assets, as set out in the contracts and lease made and entered into by and between the boards of said companies, at room No. 446, State House, on Thursday, March 1, at 10.30 o'clock A. M. RUFUS A. SOULE, Chairman. C. H. BLOOD, Clerk of the Committee. 47-1t

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. —STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 21, 1900. The Committee on Harbors and Public Lands will give a hearing to parties interested in petition of Bradley Fertilizer Company (House bill No. 873) relating to pilots on tugboats engaged in towing vessels within the limits of Boston Harbor, at room No. 425, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 28, at 12 o'clock M. CHAS. T. WITT, Chairman. AARON S. CROSBY, Clerk of the Committee. 47-1t

WEYMOUTH and EAST BRAINTREE

—People passing up Front street at about three o'clock Monday afternoon, were made aware of Col. Lovell's demise by Dr. Tinkham's flag flying at half-mast.

—Percy F. Baker assumed the baritone role in the operetta, "Love in Whist" presented at the Rockland Opera House Friday evening last and was given a flattering reception.

—As Wednesday, Feb. 18, will be Ash Wednesday or the beginning of the Lenten season, there will be service with address in Trinity Church at 7.45 p. m. During Lent there will also be service in the church on Fridays at 7.45 p. m.

—Cocoanut bon bons 20 cents per pound, at Harlow's.

—A vesper service will be held at Union Church Sunday evening at 7.30, at which time will be given an Eventide Theme, "The Homeland" by sixteen voices, and the following soloists: Mrs. Benjamin Bowker and Percy Baker; H. C. Cushman, corneter.

—The members of the Puritana Whist Club were delightfully entertained Wednesday evening by Mrs. John Aldridge and Miss Alida Allen at the home of Miss Allen on Richmond street. The first prizes were taken by Miss Elsie R. Litchfield and Mrs. Richard T. Rollins, and the second prizes by Miss Louise Rand and Miss Alice S. Carpenter.

—Fresh cut pinks every day at Jordan's.

—A supper, social and dance was held in Lincoln hall Friday evening under the direction of the Ladies' Social Circle of the First Universalist Society.

—Miss Mary Whelan has taken a position at the Fore River Engine Company's office.

—Old fashioned chocolates 25 cents per pound, at Harlow's.

—A grand banjo, mandolin and guitar concert will be held at Faxon hall, Quincy, Monday evening, Feb. 26, by Mr. Fred H. Lord of Quincy, assisted by twenty pupils, and Miss May A. Moran, reader, graduate of New England College of Oratory. There will be lady ushers to escort you to a seat. Mr. Lord has made the admission small so that most everybody can afford to come to a strictly first-class concert at a little expense. Ladies will be requested to kindly remove ther hats. Tickets, 20 cents. Doors open at 7.15. Concert at 8 o'clock.

—Order flowers of E. S. Jordan & Co.

—Miss Mabel Nash entertained the members of the Young Girls' Whist Club at her home on Front street, Saturday afternoon.

—W. S. Hutchins of Providence, R. I., a former resident of this place, is visiting friends in town.

—Miss Blanche Ingalls of Taunton is the guest of Miss Alice Pierce at her home on Webb street.

—Special care given orders for flowers at Jordan's.

—Miss Mary Crotty, teacher of the third grade at the Tufts school, is confined to the house by a severe illness.

—Hot beef tea, chocolate and malted milk at Harlow's.

—The Union Literary Circle met Tuesday evening, Feb. 20, with Mrs. Eleanor Homes and Miss Arvilla Smith. Shakespeare's play of Macbeth was read. The reading was arranged by Miss Agnes Hyde, to whom very much praise is due. Miss Alice Blanchard sang two solos, "My Rose" by special request, and a Slumber Song.

—Call at E. S. Jordan & Co.'s for cut flowers.

—The parish Guild of Trinity Church will meet with Mrs. E. F. Parlee, on Norfolk Hills Thursday evening, March 1st.

—Kendall B. Cressey, advertising manager of the Philadelphia Record, spent a couple of nights at the Weymouth Baptist parsonage this week while skirmishing through New England on business.

—5 and 10c. novels at Jordan's.

—C. D. Harlow has had a series of mirrors arranged in his show window, whereby the attractions therein contained are displayed to greater advantage.

Valentine Party.

The Misses Sulis entertained about fifty friends at a Valentine party at their home on Phillips street Friday evening last. The hours were most enjoyably passed with games and music. A feature which added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening was a "post office" system. Miss Hattie Bourke was the postmistress and each guest sent a valentine to some other member of the party. An elaborate spread of ices, cakes, fruits and candies was furnished and the young folks then left for their homes after voting the Misses Sulis to be most excellent entertainers.

Pretty Home Wedding.

The residence of Mrs. Prescott Nash of Front street was the scene of a pretty home wedding Wednesday evening, when her son Bert W., a popular conductor on the S. S. & B. St. R'y. Co., was united in marriage to Miss Josephine Hollis of North Abington. Rev. L. W. Attwood tied the nuptial knot and the ceremony witnessed by only the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. A reception followed the ceremony and the newly married couple were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

WEYMOUTH FIRE ALARM BOXES.

12—Pole, River and Parnell Sts.
13—Bradley Fertilizer Works.
15—Pole, Universalist Church.
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17—Pole, Sea and North Sts.
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19—Pole, Church and North Sts.
21—Pole, Grant and High Sts.
23—Pole, Jackson Square.
24—Pole, Electric Station, private.
25—Pole, Shaw's Corner.
26—Pole, M. Sheehy & Co.
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223—Pole, Commercial and Putnam Sts.
226—Pole, opposite Daniel Pratt's.
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32—Pole, Congress and Washington Sts.
34—Engine House No. 3.
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36—Pole, Garfield Square.
38—Pole, corner Library.
41—Pole, Lovells Corner.
42—Pole, opposite G. S. Hunt's.
43—Pole, Nash's Corner.
45—Pole, cor. Park and Main Sts.
46—Pole, Town House.
47—Pole, opposite Phillip Fraher's.
51—Pole, near Otis Torrey's.
52—Pole, Engine House No. 5.
53—Pole, Independence Square.
54—Pole, near Depot.
56—Pole, Cor. Pond and Thicket Sts.
57—Pole, May's Corner.

MANY DOLLARS FOR LIBRARY.

Grand Bazaar in Aid of a South Weymouth Institution.

Liberally Patronized and Should Prove a Success Financially.

One of the most elaborate affairs of its nature which has occurred in this town for some time, is the much talked of Fogg Library Fair, now in progress at Fogg's Opera house, South Weymouth, under the auspices of the Library Committee of the South Weymouth Improvement Association.

This gigantic event was inaugurated Tuesday evening under most auspicious circumstances, and tomorrow will have become a matter of history.

In its ordinary garb Fogg's hall is one of the prettiest places the town affords in which to hold an event of the above nature, but upon this occasion it has been rendered even more charming by a lavish display of crepe paper, various hued bunting and potted plants and cut flowers.

The tables and booths are tastefully arranged about the sides of the hall, and display useful and fancy articles in great profusion and endless variety. The several tables are in charge of the following ladies, each being assisted by an efficient corps of aids:

Remembrance table, Mrs. J. M. Whitcomb.
Domestic table, Mrs. P. H. Welcome.
Confectionery table, Mrs. C. A. Scotcher.
Pickle table, Mrs. Fletcher Howe.
Children's table, Mrs. L. A. Cook.
Ice Cream table, Mrs. Elbridge Nash.
Fancy table, Mrs. George Dyer.
Flower booth, Miss Helen Shaw.
Cake table, Mrs. V. M. Tirrell.
Walter Field presides over the grocery table.

A feature which attracted throngs of patrons was the wigwam of Miss Mary E. Bliss, palmist, which was located in one of the boxes and which was always surrounded by an eager and impatient crowd. This talented lady was attired in a unique costume, and read the palms of her patrons scientifically and accurately.

A first-class entertainment has been furnished each evening and it would seem that the committee in charge each night had endeavored to have their production surpass the efforts of the committee of the previous evening.

The opening evening was devoted largely to the entertainment of the children, although the programme was such as to equally interest all. The programme consisted of selections by a boy soprano from the Church of the Advent, Boston, and the charming Dance of the Fairies, executed by eighteen little misses. The committee in charge was composed of the following ladies: Mrs. C. T. Foster, chairman; Mrs. Wood, Mrs. M. C. Hart, Mrs. V. M. Tirrell and Miss Hallahan. Mrs. Wood had drilled the little girls in the "Fairy Dance" and to her is due much credit for the success of the affair.

Wednesday evening, the laughable farce in two acts entitled "Snarley's Difficulties" was presented under the direction of J. B. Reed. The cast of characters was as follows:

Bill Greengrass, from Vairmount, J. B. Reed.
John Brown, John Vining.
Mr. Snarley, who thinks he runs things, H. H. Joy.
Mrs. Snarley, who does run things, Mrs. P. H. Welcome.
Lila Snarley, Miss Abbie Cushing.

This entertainment made a decided hit, all the parts being well taken and supported throughout the entire course.

The entertainment of Thursday evening was in charge of the Old Colony Club of South Weymouth, who thought that as the day was the anniversary of the birth of Washington, it would be appropriate to provide a programme of a patriotic character. Among the attractions were the following:

Salute to the Flag, Miss Ella Clark.
Star Spangled Banner, Mrs. Annie Deane Peckham.
Flag dance by sixteen young ladies.

Tonight, the closing evening, the entertainment will consist of a minstrel performance and the following program will be rendered by local artists:

Nat. A. Shaw, Fred Allison, tambos.
Geo. Hyatt, C. A. Scotcher, bones.
Introduction, Full Chorus
"Dip me in de Golden Sea," (with chorus), Geo. Hyatt.
"Doan' Ye Cry, Ma Honey," Charles T. Foster.
Stump speech, Fred Allison.
"Ma Lady Lu, (with chorus), Walter L. Bates.
Solo, "The Girl I Loved in Sunny Tennessee," Stephen Hyatt.
Selection, Charles A. Scotcher.
"My Creole Sue," (with quartette chorus), Will Allen.
"The Belle of Honolulu," (with chorus) Nat. Shaw.
Finale, "I'se gettin' up a Watermelon Party," John Sullivan.

The success of the affair is largely due to the efforts of the following named committees:

Library Committee of Improvement Association: Rev. F. E. Butler, Bates Torrey, Walter Bates, Rev. L. W. Attwood, G. L. Wentworth.

Advertising Committee: John W. Seabury, Elbridge Nash, Bates Torrey, Chas. T. Foster, Frank Richards.

Entertainment Committee: Nat. Shaw, Mrs. C. T. Foster, Mrs. H. B. Reed, Mrs. L. W. Attwood, H. H. Joy.

Miss M. D. Vaughan, the librarian, has furnished the following statistics in regard to the library, which should prove of interest to the citizens of this town.

Total number of volumes in Library at close of its first year, Sept. 14, 1899,	3,744
Circulation for the year, Fiction,	19,685
Circulation for the year, Non-Fiction	5,710
Total circulation,	25,395

Of the whole circulation, 6,799, or nearly 27 per cent. were from the juvenile department.

Comparing the total circulation with the number of volumes it will be seen that the whole library was in circulation nearly seven times.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

The column under this title will be given to the people for a free discussion of any and all subjects the management of the paper distinctly disclaiming all responsibility for the opinions here expressed.

A Hint to No-License Voters.

"When the cat's away the mice will play." They play also when she is asleep and when she fares sumptuously every day.

No-license voters should not be caught napping. In 1897 there were 214 voters who did not take the trouble to make any cross on the license question, and 1104 voters who did not come to the polls. In 1899 there were 429 voters that were indifferent upon the license question and 1182 "stay at homes." This is a degeneration. What will the vote of 1900 be? Even though a man feels sure that the town will vote for no-license, he should cast his vote this way for the sake of its influence. One soldier's absence in a battle may not decide a victory, but it is his duty to be there. A good choir-leader wants to hear every voice. Some of the links near the end of a chain may not be needed, but if they begin to drop off, one by one, the chain would soon be too short. It is an indisputable fact that a large vote encourages people. We measure success partly by numbers. Awake you that sleep and arise from the dead! Render unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's. Make your plans to go to the polls and vote "No" before you begin your work on the eventful Monday in March. A good motto printed on many soldier's envelopes in the Civil War was, "My God first, my country next, and then my family."

Again, a high grade cat not only stops the little innocent games of the mice, but also makes them scamper to their holes and haunts. She keeps an eye on them so that there is no noisy running in and out around the premises night or day. Now, it is much better to have such a cat about, even though she can not exterminate the mice, than it is to give the mice all the license they want.

Recall Southey's story of an army of rats. They "gnaw'd the flesh" and "picked the bones" of Bishop Hatto because he got tired of the cries of the poor people and burned them all up in a barn. Every voter, as a citizen of this favored town, is called to defend his weak brother and the youth and the families here. He should not get tired of hearing these old cries of humanity for deliverance from licensed wrong. He should help to answer that prayer, "Bring us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one." He should stand by the officers of the law. He should support what is good for its progress.

Furthermore, owls are capital mousers. All voters, irrespective of party names, should determine to banish the slavery of appetite, as our Congress has banished Roberts and suppressed the desired sanction of polygamy. No party can afford to encourage the indiscriminate sale of liquor. It is opposed to economy, against the value of property, the safety of life, and the happiness of the family.

Owls and cats are quiet workers. They know that as long as mice are mice—cunning and wary—they must care for them as it is their nature to. Between the cats and the owls, the mice have a hard time of it, but still mice live and thrive.

Eternal vigilance continues to be the price of liberty. Our street-corners and lots and lonely places yet bear witness to those that are prostituting their bodies for the sensual gratification of strong drink. As a high moral sentiment overcomes another kind of prostitution, so should it oppose all self-debasement of the body and mind. He who votes for no license helps to form this high moral tone of the people. Obedience to the indwelling, Holy Spirit of God in man will give us victory over this curse of intemperance.

H. S. SNYDER.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cummings are entertaining friends from Lynn.

—M. D. Orcutt of Randolph street is quite ill with typhoid pneumonia.

—Cocoanut bon bons 20 cents per pound, at Harlow's.

—Miss Grace Beals entertained a number of friends at her home on Pond street, Friday evening last, in honor of her birthday. Miss Beals was the recipient of numerous gifts, among them being a handsome fan.

—Rev. Parris T. Farwell of Wellesley Hills will occupy the pulpit at the Union Church next Sunday morning, in exchange with the pastor, Rev. Frank E. Butler. A union service will be held in the evening and will be addressed by Rev. Mr. Farwell. A special programme has been prepared by the choir.

—Old fashioned chocolates 25 cents per pound, at Harlow's.

—F. C. Blanchard of Columbian street left this week for Ashville, N. C., where he is in hopes to regain his health.

—Mrs. Madden is seriously ill at the home of her son-in-law Matthew O'Dowd of Reed avenue.

—Leonard Torrey has taken a position with Henry Jesseman.

—Little Helen O'Dowd has been quite ill the past week.

—Hot beef tea, chocolate and malted milk at Harlow's.

—The selectmen held a hearing at the Engine House in Ward 4, at 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning, on the petition to lay out a town way near the residence of Nathaniel R. Ells and running westerly.

—The Columbian Fife and Drum Corps held a well attended dancing party in Odd Fellows Hall, Tuesday evening.

New Advertisements THIS WEEK.

Matters of interest and profit to our readers.

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EAST WEYMOUTH.

—The meeting that was called by Mrs. J. A. Cushing at the M. E. Church last Saturday evening, Feb. 17th, was postponed on account of the weather, and will be held tomorrow evening, Feb. 24th.

—William Crowley and daughter of Walpole have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dalton, this week.

—The new electric snow plow demonstrated its efficiency on Sunday and the tracks were kept open.

—Cocoanut bon bons 20 cents per pound, at Harlow's.

—Joseph Sherman is driving for the Boston Baking & Catering Company.

—Mrs. Etta Allen is rallying from an attack of the grip.

—Rev. Wm. Kirkby of the Porter Church gave an enthusiastic no-license talk in Temperance hall, Sunday night.

—Mrs. Daniel Reilly is seriously ill with pneumonia.

—Hot beef tea, chocolate and malted milk at Harlow's.

—Mrs. Walter Curtis is recovering from an attack of diphtheria.

—Miss Nella Hayden is obliged to give up elocutionary work for a while on account of an attack of the grip.

—The poultry division of the "Red Rock farm" has had some valuable fowl added to it this week. The proprietors will make a specialty of Rhode Island reds.

—Jean Maguire of Boston has been visiting the old home this week.

—Daniel L. Hart is out again after a week's illness.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. James Mathewson next Wednesday afternoon.

—Old fashioned chocolates 25 cents per pound, at Harlow's.

—Rev. F. A. Poole will give a temperance address in Temperance hall at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Surprise Party.

Many of the friends of Annie Sheehan gathered at her home last Friday night to join in a surprise party. In behalf of those assembled, Mary Kiernan presented Miss Sheehan with a handsome ring and the evening was pleasantly spent in games and discussion of a dainty lunch served by the hostess.

Sixty Years.

Last Thursday was the sixtieth anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Stephen Tirrell, Cedar street, and her many friends planned and executed a most agreeable surprise party as a fitting celebration of the event. Friends from abroad either came or sent substantial greeting and the occasion will be remembered with pleasure by Mrs. Tirrell who was the recipient of a fine antique oak rocker and other tokens of regard. A collation was served and the evening spent in singing the old songs.

Fair Will Open.

The Fairmount Cemetery Circle will open its annual fair in the Opera House Tuesday afternoon of next week and continue it until Friday night. The management have been untiring in their efforts to have this fair equal if not superior to those of the past and good entertainments have been arranged for each night. The association has made extensive improvements the past year and have others in contemplation and the Opera house should be filled each night.

Mrs. Abbie A. Rice Dead.

As fades the dying day, so passed away Mrs. Abbie A., widow of Edmund Rice, at the late home of her son, William T. Rice, Wednesday night. Mrs. Rice was the oldest of fourteen children of Jacob and Nabby Bates and was born on Middle street eighty-five years ago. Five of her brothers and sisters still survive, Elizabeth, widow of Albert Humphrey; Augusta, widow of John T. Dizer; Deacon David W.; Edmund G., and Hellen, wife of M. C. Cloudman. Abbie A. married Edmund Rice nearly seventy years ago and he with their three children, Josiah, Lucinda, who was the second wife of J. P. Lovell, and W. T., have gone on before.

Mrs. Rice was a woman whom to know was to honor and respect, and while for many years not taking an active part in surrounding affairs, owing to her advanced years, those who remember her of long ago and those who have been near her in later life will cherish sweet memories.

Celebration Postponed.

South Shore Commandery Knights Templar, had made plans on an extensive scale and at large expense to celebrate Washington's birthday with a banquet, entertainment and dance, but on learning of the death of their fellow Templar, Col. B. S. Lovell, the committee of arrangements immediately cancelled all engagements and contracts and the affair is indefinitely postponed.

Unitarian Circle.

The Ladies' Social Circle of the Unitarian Society held its annual meeting Wednesday evening and elected the following officers: Mrs. Mary French, president; Mrs. Mary R. Flint, vice-president; Mrs. Carrie B. Lovell, secretary; Mrs. Addie Raymond, treasurer; Mrs. D M. Easton, Mrs. William Litchfield, Mrs Urban Rice, Mrs. C. W. L. Hayward, Mrs. Augustus Tirrell, directors.

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GENERAL REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

Reports all in and Ticket Made Up.

A Night of Harmony and Good Feeling All Along the Line.

The howling blizzard predicted for last week was a day late and arrived at about the hour the republicans of Weymouth were called to assemble in Engine Hall, East Weymouth, to do business preparatory to the coming annual town meeting. Severe as the storm was, it did not interfere with the meeting beyond a ten or fifteen minutes' delay.

The meeting was called to order by W. C. Earle, chairman of the Republican Town Committee, and then M. E. Hawes was elected to preside over the caucus. William S. Wallace was chosen as secretary, and on motion, the meeting listened to the reports from the several primary meetings held in the several wards.

The polls were opened and the following ballot, prepared by Mr. Wallace and the secretaries of the several ward caucuses, was unanimously approved:

John A. Raymond, town clerk; John H. Stetson, town treasurer; George L. Newton, Nelson W. Gardner, Charles E. Bicknell, Bradford Hawes, and Gordon Willis, selectmen and overseers of the poor; Wilmot Cleverly, John W. Bates, Francis H. Cowing, Gilman B. Loud and George C. Torrey, assessors; Walter L. Bates, Henry A. Nash, Jr., and George E. Reed, auditors; Willard J. Dunbar, collector of taxes; Henry A. Nash, water commissioner three years; William A. Drake and Bradford Hawes, school committee three years; William H. Clapp, park commissioner three years; John B. Holland, John B. Rhines and Louis A. Cook, trustees of Tufts Library three years; Henry A. Nash, trustee High School Sinking Fund Bonds three years; I. H. Walker, B. Frank Richards, N. B. Peare, Asa B. Pratt, James T. Pease, Thomas Fitzgerald, George F. Maynard, George B. Bayley, Michael Allen, George W. Conant, constables.

Louis A. Cook was nominated for moderator of the coming town meeting.

An interesting feature of the meeting was the apology of J. K. Farrell for conduct at the meeting in Ward 2 the previous night, and on motion of F. A. Bicknell the apology was accepted and the offender pardoned. At 9.45 the meeting adjourned.

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CITIZENS' CAUCUSES.

Wards 2 and 3 Hold Citizens' Caucuses.

John F. Dwyer the Unanimous Choice in Ward 3, and Matthew W. Lynch Receives the Same Honor in Ward 2.

A citizens' caucus was held at Engine Hall, Ward 3, Tuesday evening, and was attended by about 100 voters. The business was transacted with promptness and decision. William Wall called the meeting to order and read the call. Representative John B. Whelan was elected chairman, with James A. Pray as secretary. Mr. Pray, however, modestly declined to serve the meeting in that capacity, and the honor fell upon Henry E. Kiley

The meeting then proceeded to business, and the following nominations were made by acclamation: Selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, John F. Dwyer; trustees of Tufts Library, John B. Rhines, Rev. J. B. Holland; park commissioner, William H. Clapp; constables, Thomas Fitzgerald and James T. Pease. The meeting was declared adjourned at about 8.15.

WARD 2.

Engine Hall was filled with people on Tuesday night who gathered in response to a call for a citizens' caucus. The meeting was called to order by D. M. Easton who was later elected to preside over the same. Robert McIntosh was elected secretary, and on motion the meeting proceeded to ballot for a candidate for selectman and overseer of poor which resulted in a unanimous choice of Matthew W. Lynch, he receiving 96 votes.

The further business of the caucus was the nomination of John A. Raymond for town clerk; John H. Stetson, treasurer; and Willard J. Dunbar for tax collector, after which the meeting adjourned.

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HELEN BLAZES

By Frederick Van Rensselaer.

THIS is a story of a mare that made her reputation during the weeks of almost incessant fighting before Petersburg and Bermuda Hundred. She lost her life in a scrimmage in which she was nearly the whole thing, for she had a way of taking matters into her own control and carrying her rider into the thickest of the fight, whether he liked it or not.

She was such a warrior herself that when she got worked up to the proper pitch she paid no attention to bugle calls or orders, and always started in to thrash the enemy single handed. That was one reason why she was called Helen Blazes. But there was another—her temper.

The name was not spelled just that way by the boys of the Third New York cavalry, but Jeb Smith, the man who rode her—and the only man who ever could ride her—was a minister before the war broke out, so he changed the original three words of her name into two, thus quieting his conscience and satisfying "the boys" at the same time.

She was picked up one night on a scouting expedition. Wink Tomkins brought her into camp the next morning, and he was a sight. You could hear him swearing at Blazes when they were a mile away, and between his curses and the laughter of his companions, and the plunging and kicking, biting and striking of the mare as they approached, it made a pretty sight for tired cavalrymen.

"There, by thunder!" said Wink. "I've landed her here, 'cos I said I would. The fellow that can ride her, can have her, for all I care," and he pitched the lead rope to me.

Blazes was a beauty, there was no denying that, and old McNamara—our captain—had his eye on her from the moment he saw her.

Well, there's no use in describing all that happened then. It took six of us to get a saddle and bridle on her, and three out of the six were laid up unfit for duty for a week after it; and after that she threw, one after another, pretty near the whole company.

Nobody could ride her until Jeb Smith came along. He had just been relieved from guard and was tired, but when his eyes lighted on the mare, he brightened up.

"That's a beauty, boys," he said, for he was a great lover of horseflesh, if he was a parson. The mare was standing idle at that moment, as docile as a kitten, and nobody in the world would have guessed what devil there was in her. Tompkins drawled out:

"Get on her back, parson, and try her."

Mind you, there was not one in the crowd who had not tried her, and who could not show a substantial bruise for his temerity. But the parson never caught on at all, and we all stood back while he handed his piece to a comrade, and without a moment's hesitation walked straight up to the mare and began to rub her nose; and what's more, she seemed to like it.

You could have purchased the whole company for a very small sum at that moment, for we felt mighty cheap. We didn't know whether it was jugglery, or what it was, but the fact remained that the mare did not treat him as she had treated us.

"Say, parson," bawled Wink Tompkins, "have you ever seen the critter before?"

"Certainly not," was the calm reply. "Why?"

"Well, I'm blowed! Boys, there's suthin' in religion after all."

While he was thus expressing himself, Jeb leaped into the saddle, and in a moment more he was riding around the place as easy as you please. Blazes single-footed, dog-trotted and cantered, and you'd have thought she was a Christmas-tree-rocking-horse, for all the ugliness she showed then.

"Who owns her?" asked the parson.

"You do, Jeb; you've earned her," said old Mac; and he walked away with a scowl on his face.

Well, Jeb was delighted, and he listened with amazement when we told him what a circus we'd been having. It was plain that he did not believe all of it, and presently he led her away to the stable, took the saddle off and tied her.

There was only a pole between the horses, and Jeb hadn't got half way back to where we were sitting, when there was the worst racket in that stable you ever heard. You'd have thought the rebs were after us for the noise and tumult. The horses neighed and squealed and you could hear boards splintering and timbers falling. Blazes had kicked herself loose, laid up two horses, scarred for life a half dozen more, and pawed her way right through the back of that place to liberty. She was pointing for home, too, when Jeb saw her.

"Here, you!" he yelled, and she stopped and waited while he went up and caught her.

We fixed up the stable, but we passed a unanimous resolution that Blazes couldn't tarry there any more, so the parson took her about 20 rods away and tied her to a fence. Then he gave her some oats, and you'd have thought she was the three graces rolled into one she was so quiet; but it didn't last long.

She finished her oats, and maybe she got tired or thirsty, or something. Anyhow, she pulled away one section of the fence, and broke loose from that, and then she started for the stable again. Some of us heard the horses squealing and kicking, and we went down to see what was the matter, and I'm blessed if Blazes wasn't trying to eat them.

She'd reach in and take a mouthful of loose flesh, set her teeth on it and pull, and then, when the horse she was biting kicked, she'd wheel and kick too. After that we made Jeb tie her with a chain and always to something that she could not pull apart.

She ruined ten horses, kicked one mule to death and another one so that we had to kill him, and she tore the clothes all off of a darky who tried to feed her one day; but it got to be an old story after awhile, and we didn't pay much attention.

Nobody will ever forget the first time she was seen in a fight. You'd have thought she was human, from the sense she showed, and a fiend incarnate from the way she fought.

Our company had been out on a sortie and we were on our way home, everybody giving Jeb and Blazes a wide berth, for she'd kick and bite everything in reach on the road as well as in the stable, when we came upon a detachment of rebel cavalry between us and home. They had more men than we did, but there was only one thing to do, and that was to charge—and we did it.

I was abreast of Jeb when we got the word, and I never saw anything made of flesh and blood do what Blazes did then. Jeb couldn't hold her any more than you could hold a cyclone, and she ran like a streak of lightning. In the 30 or 40 rods between us and the confederates she got more than two rods ahead of the rest of us, so she struck the line first. I'll bet she covered 30 feet at every jump, and finally she took an admighty plunge into the air, and landed plump on top of a confederate sergeant and his horse, knocking them both down as easily as she would a blade of grass.

She reared and plunged, struck with her forefeet, kicked with her hind ones, and she used her teeth like a tiger. She'd grab a rebel horse by the throat and tear out a chunk of flesh; she'd seize a man by the leg or the arm, and pull him out of the saddle and trample upon him quicker than you could knock him out with a saber, and every time she had a chance she'd jump into the air and land right on top of horse and rider, and then bite and tear and strike her way through or past the next one she met.

I don't see how Jeb ever stayed on her back, but he did, and he came out without a scratch, too. Nobody ever made fun of Blazes after that brush, but her greatest fight was her last one.

We'd been out on a scouting and foraging expedition and were on our way back when we had that set-to. There were only ten of us, and we thought we had got past the point where we were likely to fall in with any rebs, when we saw a full company of confederate cavalry come over the top of a knoll not a quarter of a mile away.

There was no use for us to try to run, for we would only have run into their lines, and there wasn't a man there who wanted to surrender, so we yelled back and started to meet them.

We came together, and in a second we were all mixed up. They surrounded us like flies around a honey pot. We were so few that we could not keep together, and every man fought for himself, regardless of the others. Still, everybody could tell where Blazes was all the time, by the commotion she kicked up; and when in a fight like that one thing kicks up enough extra commotion to be noticed, you can bet it's moving.

I got a bullet through my right shoulder and another one in my left arm, and I was helpless; and just then my horse got a saber clip on the side of his head which sent him crazy, and somehow, he managed to kick himself out of the melee before he dropped, which he did with one of my legs under him; but I was where I could see the fight, and I kept my eyes on Blazes.

Just as I discovered her, I saw Jeb Smith pitch head first out of his saddle, and I knew that the parson was done for.

Blazes seemed to know it, too. She had been wild before, but she became a perfect demon then. She must have known that she had no rider, and most horses quit fighting when the man is gone off from their backs; but she didn't. She only got wilder and went in for vengeance.

She no longer paid any attention to the horses, but she went for the men, and whenever she grabbed one she literally tore him apart. Hundreds of shots were fired at her, and her body was covered with blood from the saber cuts she had received, but she pawed and kicked, and tore with her hoofs and teeth, turning like a cat, and bounding about with the ease and grace of a panther.

Then, when most of our men had gone down, and when practically all that there was left for the rebs to fight was that wild mare, there was another yell from the top of the hill, and I saw three companies of our own men coming to the rescue.

The Johnnies saw them, too, and they broke and ran, and as sure as I live, Blazes started after them.

She overtook the last man and seized him by the shoulder, dragging him from his horse to the ground. As he fell he fired his pistol, and the shot went through her heart, but she clung to her prey and her body fell upon the man who killed her.

There were only three of us left alive, out of the ten who went into that fight, and we felt almost as badly about Blazes as we did about our comrades.

Poor Jeb was shot through the head, and never knew what struck him. We buried him and the mare side by side, and there wasn't a dry eye in the crowd when we did it. She did more fighting that day than the whole ten of us, and there were over 300 wounds on her body when we found her.—Boston Globe.

A Skin Game.

Miss Freshleigh—Can you tell me, Mr. Sportleigh, if race horses are subject to any particular cutaneous disease?

Mr. Sportleigh—Not that I know of. Why do you ask, Miss Freshleigh?

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He Caught On.

He—Do you believe in hypnotism?

She—I heard the other day of a man who was hypnotized by being made to look for some time at a diamond ring.

He—I wonder if any bright piece of glass would have done it as well.

She—Perhaps so, with a man, but not with a woman.

He (at a jeweler's the next day)—I want a diamond ring, lady's size, brightest you have.—N. Y. World.

Changeable.

Larry—Norah hung her jersey jacket over th' stove an' it wuz scorched. Did ye hear about it, Dinny?

Denny—Oi did; an' Oi also hur-rud thot it changed th' jacket complately.

Larry—How phwas thot?

Denny—Well, ye sae, it phwas a jersey jacket whin shae hung it thor, but, faith, after it wuz scorched it phwas a smoking jacket.—Chicago Daily News.

With a Photograph.

Look on this portrait with a genial eye;
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—Indianapolis Journal.

NOT VERY PARTICULAR.

"I wonder who it was that first used the expression, 'one man's as good as another?' Was it a poet or a physician?"

"I guess it was an old maid!"—Das Kleine Witzblatt.

About the Size of It.

The giddy young man very early in life
Falls in love with each girl he sees;
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A FAT MAN'S DINNER.

BY KENNETT F. HARRIS.

HE was a large man, with intensely red whiskers, although his whiskers had nothing to do with the way in which he conducted himself. He was so large that his hand would hardly go into the cracker bowl that the waitress in the stockyards restaurant had placed within his reach, and it was a rather large-sized bowl at that.

As a matter of fact, the management had not contemplated the insertion of fists in its cracker bowls; that was perhaps the reason why the waitress looked at the man on the other side of the table with a slight elevation of her eyebrows and then smiled, bit her lips and turned her head away as the man responded with a swift wink. The extremely large man, oblivious of this, withdrew his bulging fist from the bowl, poised it over his soup, and allowed the crushed crackers to fall therein.

Then he stirred them until they had become a soft, spongy mass that filled the bowl to its utmost capacity. Had there been any room left for more crackers, the fat man might not have been satisfied, but there wasn't.

"Shall I bring you some more?" queried the waitress, with gentle sarcasm.

"You needn't mind," said the big man, stirring his soup and crackers into a mush, and reaching for the pepper across the plate of the man at his side. "What have you got to eat?"

"Spareribs o' beef an' brown potatoes, roast veal with dressing, boiled pork an' dumplings an' beefsteak pudden," replied the girl, nasally and monotonously.

The big man conveyed a spoonful of soup to his mouth with a bubbling noise and seemed to reflect. Then he said: "I'll take some ribs o' beef and veal, well done, and you might bring me a little of the boiled pork and dumpling and a piece of the beefsteak pudding."

He would probably have gone on with the list of his wants had there been anything more to add, but he had gone through the entire menu and had to be satisfied from force of circumstances, but just the same he did not look satisfied, and his manner intimated that he thought it a shame that more should not be offered him.

"We only serve two kinds of meat with an order," said the girl.

"Bring me the spareribs and boiled pork, then," said the big man. "It seems 's if a man ought to get what he wants to eat when he pays his money."

The girl hurried away to the kitchen and the large man devoted himself to his soup. At the third spoonful the man by his side, who had twice shuddered, got up and went away. He spoke a minute or two to the cashier as he paid his check, and the cashier seemed to try to conciliate him.

When the man with the red beard had finished his soup he looked hungrily around and asked the man opposite to pass him the bread. He toyed with two or three slices, which he spread thickly with horseradish, and the plate was empty when the waitress came back bearing aloft a trayful of dinner.

It is possible that the girl regretted her limitation of the variety of meat and exerted her influence with the cook to secure the largest possible portions of the order she permitted. The brown and oleaginous spareribs were spare in name only, having the appearance of a family joint, and the potatoes were proportionately numerous; the boiled pork, flanked by its pale, steaming dumplings, was in thick slices of more than generous dimensions, and whatever spaces there might have been on the tray were filled with side dishes of lima beans, tomatoes and corn bread. If, however, the waitress expected that the big man would weaken before the emergency, she was mistaken.

He went at it systematically, carving great wedges of meat and thrusting them into his mouth without interrupting for an instant the regular swing and champ of his jaws, except when he stopped to flush his alimentary canal with copious draughts of water. The beef was soon reduced to a few clinging shreds about the bone, and of the potatoes not a vestige remained. The dumplings vanished like things of absolutely no substance; the pork was not a circumstance, and the tomatoes and beans hardly worth mentioning, so little resistance did they afford. The big man's face grew red with the exertion of eating, and his eyes bulged, but he persevered until everything was eaten.

Then he asked for pie.

The girl ran over the lists of deserts, including apple pie, pumpkin pie, mince pie, canned pears and rice pudding.

He said he didn't care for the canned pears but would take the other things, and when the girl informed him that he was limited to two kinds of desert he looked hurt and told her to bring him pumpkin and mince pie.

The man who was sitting opposite had finished his meal some time before and was looking with an expression of mild curiosity at the ravenous diner. The large man bore his scrutiny remarkably well, but nevertheless seemed a trifle uneasy.

At last the pie was finished and the large man grunted in a satisfied sort of way, pushed his chair back and walking over to the cashier's desk threw down a quarter and turned to go. The cashier rapped smartly on her desk with the coin and the big man turned round again.

"Ten cents more, please," said the cashier.

"I gave you a quarter," said the big man, aggressively.

"I know you did," said the cashier. "The regular meal is 35, though."

The man who had been sitting opposite lounged up and leaned his arm on the cashier's desk, while he looked at the protesting diner.

"I thought this was a 25 cent place," said the burly person. "I've eat better dinners for 25 cents."

To this the cashier deigned no reply, but beckoning to the waitress asked her to "fetch Mr. Meisner," at which the big man fumbled reluctantly in his pocket and produced the required ten cents, and the cashier said: "Never mind now, Libbie."

The big man turned again to go out, but this time it was the other man who recalled him.

"Mister!" said the other man.

"Well?" said the big man, suspiciously.

"I know a joint where they claim to give you all you want to eat for ten cents."

"You had better go there," retorted the big man. "You look as if it would do you good to board at a place like that regularly."

"You don't need to get mad," said the other. "I was just giving you a tip because you seemed to be a stranger around here."

"I guess I can find my way about."

"I'll give you another. Don't go near Armour's—that's just across the railroad track—keep away from them to-day."

"What do I want to keep away from them to-day for?" asked the big man, unguardedly.

"They're killing hogs," said the other man, calmly.—Chicago Daily Record.

Queer Breed of Foxes.

Gilbertsville, Pa., can boast of either the boldest liar in the country or a breed of foxes hitherto unknown to natural history. A hunt club started a fox in that vicinity the other day and reported that after a chase of seven hours the fox, being hard pressed, took refuge in a tree, from which the hunters took him alive.—Chicago Chronicle.

Mary's Golf Skirt.

Mary had a little foot,
Her shoes were number two.
And when she walked and when she sat
She kept those shoes in view.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

INDUCEMENT WANTED.

"You kin kiss me, Willie."

"What'll yer gib me?"—N. Y. Journal.

Returned.

"A stolen kiss or a borrowed kiss,
Which is your favorite smack?"
"A borrowed kiss," replied the miss,
"For it can be paid back."
—Chicago Daily News.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

Scottish churchmen are complaining of a lack of suitable candidates for the ministry.

The grandson of the first woman to become a Christian in Zululand was recently ordained a missionary.

A Methodist church in Terre Haute has barred out two evangelists because they would not promise to refrain from teaching socialism.

The professors and students of political economy in a number of the leading universities have taken up the subject of union labels and their influence on wages.

Girard college, Philadelphia, suffers from the nocturnal visitations of a myriad of bats. They have built in great numbers under the eaves of the central hall and about the chapel.

Experiments made in Baden, Germany, in regard to coeducation have convinced the authorities that there is no harm in it, and that it has advantages, especially in the smaller towns.

Charles J. Capen has taught in the Boston Latin school 48 years, and prides himself upon the fact that, though now 76 years of age, no one can yet call him a decrepit old man, nor scarcely a white-haired one.

Mrs. Collis P. Huntington has given Principal H. B. Frissel, of the Hampton normal and agricultural institute, a check for $2,500 for the establishment in Newport News, Va., of a cooking and sewing school for colored girls.

The new education act passed by the West Australian government enacts that any person disturbing a school, or who insults, upbraids, or abuses a teacher in the presence or hearing of the pupils, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding 40 shillings and not less than ten shillings.

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This year's large apple crop has made cider abundant and cheap, and by reason of processes discovered in recent years cider made early in the fall when apples are cheapest remains palatable all winter. With this improvement in the method of preserving cider has come a change of theory as to the unwholesomeness of the beverage. Twenty years ago cider was denounced as a dangerous drink; now it is recommended especially to persons suffering from stomach disorders, and to those of a rheumatic or gouty tendency.

The French have made a medical study of cider, doubtless partly because it takes the place of wine in parts of France, and the result of such study has led the French experts to the conclusion that the presence of malic acid and of tannin in cider makes it of great hygienic value. Some dyspeptics cannot drink it, but in some forms of intestinal trouble it is helpful. It is recommended especially to gouty persons.

To be wholesome, however, cider must be in good condition, and especially it must not be too hard. The old method of putting up cider in a strong and securely corked bottle, along with three or four raisins and a tablespoonful of sugar to a pint, is still practiced in this country, and the result is a delightful beverage with all the effervescence of champagne; but this method of preserving cider is expensive and troublesome. The French have discovered a cheaper method, and that is to place in cider that is to be preserved from hardening a small quantity of the subnitrate of bismuth. It is found that a partly consumed barrel of rapidly hardening cider may thus be preserved for many months. The hardening process is not altogether arrested, but it goes on very slowly.

The French have also discovered a method of preserving the bright transparency of cider. Most cider when exposed to the light becomes clouded, and brown. This change is due to the chemical action of tannin and sometimes to iron contained in the cider. Save in appearance the beverage is none the worse for the change, and indeed a cider that quickly turns brown is regarded as especially wholesome for some persons because of its being rich in tannin. To preserve the clear beauty of cider, however, the French use citric acid in quantities varying with the natural acidity of the cider, usually about 60 grains to the gallon. With citric acid and subnitrate of bismuth cider may thus be kept indefinitely, not only fine in color but almost at a uniform condition of fermentation.—N. Y. Sun.

Corduroy Roads.

What a pleasant ride together through Alpena county! — pleasant save for the corduroy roads, which set us both aquiver, as with the old-time ague, recalling the days when they rang the church bells every half hour in Alpena to remind the settlers to take their quinine, and when sawmills (so runs the tale) were operated solely by fever and ague power. Curious sights met our unaccustomed eastern eyes as we rode—log homesteads chinked with plaster, root houses half buried in the earth, sheds thatched with straw, "stump-pullers" (immense portable derricks) at work "clearing up," frequent "dreens," huge mounds of cobblestones newly plucked out of the fields, wagons loaded with cedar ties moving cityward, splendid crops on every hand; so, bless you! who minded the corduroy?—R. L. Hartt, in Atlantic.

His Foot Was Large.

Mrs. Meddleby—I don't see why old Tackerhorn doesn't die. He has had one foot in the grave for years.

Mr. Meddleby—He is probably waiting for them to give him another grave for his other foot.—N. Y. World.

Gathering Information.

Lord Noodleby—And wheah do yaw best people live in New York?

Maude—Our untitled nobs live along Fifth avenue. We keep our piers on the river front.—Harlem Life.

Technique.

"Can that young man really sing high C?"

"No," answered Miss Cayenne, "he can't sing it; he can merely holler it."—Washington Star.

Always Busy.

Hewitt—Gruet has an eye to business.

Jewett—Yes; one eye to his own and two to other people's.—Town Topics.

A Reasonable Query.

"That fellow takes things that do not belong to him."

"Ah! Amateur photographer or thief?"—Judge.

Doesn't Draw the Line.

Miss Readum—Do you like "The Man with the Hoe?"

Miss Yellowleaf—O, I like any man.—Baltimore American.

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East Braintree.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.21, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50, 11.50 A. M.; 12.50, 1.50, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.50, 6.50, 7.59, 8.59, 9.59, 10.59 P. M.

Weymouth.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.19, 7.18, 7.48, 8.18, 8.48, 9.48, 10.48, 11.48 A. M.; 12.48, 1.48, 2.48, 3.48, 4.48, 5.48, 6.48, 7.57, 8.57, 9.57, 10.57 P. M.

Weymouth Heights.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.15, 7.14, 7.44, 8.14, 8.44, 9.44, 10.44, 11.44 A. M.; 12.44, 1.44, 2.44, 3.44, 4.44, 5.44, 6.44, 7.54, 8.54, 9.54, 10.54 P. M.

East Weymouth.—6.43, 7.43, 8.43, 9.43, 10.43, 11.43 A. M.; 12.43, 1.43, 2.43, 3.43, 4.43, 5.13, 5.43, 6.13, 7.13, 8.28, 9.28, 10.28, 11.28 P. M. **Return.**—6.12, 7.10, 7.40, 8.10, 8.40, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 A. M.; 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 7.50, 8.50, 9.50, 10.50 P. M.

SUNDAY.

Braintree.—6.16, 6.28, 6.43, 8.40, 8.58, 9.13 A. M.; 12.31, 12.43, 12.58, 4.16, 4.28, 4.43, 5.16, 5.28, 5.43, 6.46, 6.58, 8.28, 10.28 P. M. **Return.**—7.36, 7.40, 8.28, 8.36, 8.40, 9.06, 9.28, 9.40 A. M.; 1.13, 1.21, 1.25, 4.58, 5.06, 5.10, 6.58, 7.06, 7.10, 8.02, 10.02 P. M.

East Braintree.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.20, 9.20 A. M.; 1.05, 4.50, 6.50, 7.59 P. M.

Weymouth.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.18, 9.18 A. M.; 1.03, 4.48, 6.48, 7.57 P. M.

Weymouth Heights.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.14, 9.14 A. M.; 12.59, 4.44, 6.44, 7.54 P. M.

East Weymouth.—6.43, 9.13 A. M.; 12.58, 4.43, 5.43, 8.28 P. M. **Return.**—8.10, 9.10 A. M.; 12.55, 4.40, 6.40, 7.50 P. M.

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